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IMPLEMENTING OF PARTITION

Sub-Committee's Unanimous Report

Proposals submitted by Sub-Committee One of the United Nations *ad hoc* committee on Palestine for the implementation of the Unscop partition plan include recommendations that Jewish and Arab States be set up by July 1; that the Mandate should terminate on May 1; and that the General Assembly should appoint a small Commission to assist the Mandatory. The Commission would be responsible for the administration in the interim period and would act under the guidance and authority of the Security Council. Britain would be asked to maintain law and order until the termination of the Mandate. The British reply was to have been delivered yesterday (Thursday) afternoon, after this issue had gone to press.

Certain revisions of the proposed boundaries have been recommended by which the Jewish State would get an additional 450,000 dunams.

THE COMMITTEE'S PROPOSALS

Jewish and Arab States will be constituted in Palestine by July 1, 1948, and the British Mandate will end on May 1, 1948, and British troops withdrawn by that date if the compromise proposals unanimously agreed to on Monday afternoon by the four-member "Working Party" set up by the partition sub-committee of the United Nations *ad hoc* committee on Palestine are accepted.

The British reply to the proposals was expected to be delivered yesterday (Thursday) afternoon, after this edition had gone to press. Sir Alexander Cadogan, permanent head of the British delegation to the United Nations, told the partition sub-committee on Tuesday night that he had expected a reply from London during the afternoon, but it had not arrived. At the same time, he said that the "Working Party" on the implementation proposals ought not to put forward suggestions that would require the British Government "to adopt an attitude inconsistent with that already defined."

New Proposals

Following the submission by Canada last week of compromise proposals in an effort to reconcile the divergent American and Russian suggestions, the Russian delegation submitted five fresh proposals "with a view to securing at the earliest possible date an agreement on the problem affecting the future of Palestine." The Russian proposals were embodied in the following suggestions which were submitted to Sub-committee One (the partition sub-committee):

"1. The Mandate for Palestine shall terminate on May 1, 1948, and the armed forces of the Mandatory will be withdrawn on that date.

"2. Independent Jewish and Arab States come into existence on July 1, or such earlier date subsequent to May 1, as the Commission will recommend and the Security Council will regard as desirable and practicable.

"3. A Commission appointed by the General Assembly and comprising three to five members representing small powers (the Soviet delegate inserted an

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ANTI-SEMITISM IS "DEVILISH"

Threat to Community

[*By a* JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*]

A resolution deploring the recent renewal of anti-Semitic activities in this country, and maintaining that "all attempts to stir up hatred against any section of the community are inherently evil and constitute a threat to the well-being of the community as a whole," was carried unanimously at the annual meeting of the Council of Christians and Jews held on Thursday of last week in the Council Chamber of the Holborn Town Hall, London. The Archbishop of Canterbury presided.

The Council reaffirmed the urgent need for education directed towards the elimination of those deep-seated prejudices and suspicions in which all anti-Semitic activity has its roots. It also called for the co-operation of Church and Synagogue and of all men of good will in combating tendencies that are hostile to fundamental ethical principles derived from Judaism and Christianity, "which principles are essential to the eradication of racial and religious intolerance and to the achievement of harmony in all community relationships."

Need for International Body

The Rev. W. W. Simpson (the Secretary) underlined the urgent need for the setting up of an International Council of Christians and Jews as a consultative and co-operative instrument for the various national organisations of Christians and Jews that were already in existence.

It was resolved that in accordance with

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PREPARING FOR WITHDRAWAL

[*From our Own Correspondent*]

JERUSALEM

A questionnaire with a bearing on the British withdrawal from Palestine is soon to be circulated among all British officials and has already been distributed to members of the Police Force. Officers and constables were asked about their future plans and desires. The questionnaire also discusses the possibility of employment in Britain but gives no indication as to the time of the planned withdrawal.

In the meantime, the Chief Secretary, Sir Henry Gurney, has circulated a note to all Chiefs of Departments and District Commissioners to the effect that dismissals of temporary Government officers will have to be effected and that no new stores should be ordered. The Chief Secretary has also given instructions that no new works should be begun, although any works in hand should be proceeded with.

J.N.F.'s NEW SECRETARY

Mr. H. J. Osterley has been appointed General-Secretary of the Jewish National Fund for Great Britain and Ireland, and he will take up his duties on December 1, immediately after the J.N.F. Annual Conference.

Mr. Osterley, who is a member of the Bar, was formerly associated with the Friendly Society Movement, having been Grand-Secretary of the Grand Order Sons of Jacob

RESTITUTION IN U.S. ZONE

New Law This Week

[*From our Correspondent*—HAMBURG]

A law, promulgated by the United States Military Government in Germany on Tuesday, orders the restitution of all possessions, whether movable or not, confiscated or compulsorily purchased between January 30, 1933, and May 8, 1945. The present owners will be held responsible, even though they may themselves have acquired the possessions lawfully, but they may avail themselves of the ordinary procedure of the courts to obtain redress from previous owners.

Claims for restitution must be registered by the end of next year.

Both present owners and previous owners of such property must report the fact to the central Government body, the penalty for failure to do so being imprisonment for a maximum period of five years, with or without a fine.

The law is intended to benefit all persons, whether Jews or not, who have been deprived of possessions on racial, religious, or ideological grounds. The German zonal authorities had refused to pass a similar enactment because it would be "unpopular."

Possessions to the value of from 150,000,000 to 250,000,000 marks are expected to be restored to between 20,000 and 30,000 claimants. The law covers only the American zone.

The French have also issued a Restitution Law, of which, however, the details are, as yet, unavailable.

British Cause Deadlock

Plans for restitution for the whole of Germany have come to a deadlock because of British opposition to the American proposals, which the British refuse to accept while failing to put forward an alternative scheme.

The only suggestion made by the British authorities is that the present restitution board, run by the Joint Distribution Committee, the Jewish Agency, and other Jewish bodies, sitting in the United States, should cease to function, and that its duties should be discharged by the German courts, with international organisations merely as participants. This applies only to Jewish possessions that are not claimed by the legal heirs, and which should, therefore, be utilised for general relief and rehabilitation.

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WORLD O.M. FOR EINSTEIN?

A World Order of Merit, to be known as "Citizen of the World," has been proposed by Mr. D. R. Hardman, chief of the British delegation to Unesco, according to London newspaper reports.

It was suggested that the order should be conferred on Einstein, Toscanini, and Bernard Shaw.

ANTI-SEMITISM IN AMERICA

Civil Rights Committee's Report

A Committee on Civil Rights set up by President Truman reports an alarming increase in anti-Semitism in the United States, threatening, in the words of the President, "the very things we had just fought for."

A nation-wide poll by FORTUNE magazine shows that 36 per cent of Americans—in the Far West the figure is as high as 46 per cent—believe that the Jews are "getting too much economic power." Almost as serious is what is described as a "tacit, silent conspiracy against the Jews"—an abuse powerfully exposed in the new film, "Gentlemen's Agreement." Press advertisements for "Christians only" have trebled since the war.

J.N.F.'S RECORD YEAR

63,000 Dunams Bought: £4,500,000 Collected

The Keren Kayemet Leisrael received during 5707 the record income of £4,500,000 (receipts for the previous year were £3,300,000).

United States Jewry contributed £3,400,000, the Jews of the British Empire £600,000, the Yishuv £300,000, and Latin American Jewry £180,000.

Under extremely difficult conditions, the Fund acquired 63,000 dunams of land during the year under review, and was once more the only effective Jewish land-purchasing agency in Palestine. Private purchase of land was almost at a standstill. To-day, the Keren Kayemet owns over 900,000 dunams of land—more than half the land in Jewish possession.

New Negev Settlements

The chief feature of the year's colonisation programme was the settlement in the Negev. A dramatic start was made on October 6, 1946, when eleven new settlements were established in one day. Since then, five more settlements have been added to the network of Jewish outposts in the Southern Desert.

Altogether, 29 new Jewish settlements were erected on land of the J.N.F. between October, 1946, and October, 1947—another record. The J.N.F. not only prepared the land, but contributed largely to the costs of settlement.

Importance of Water

The importance of adequate water supplies has been recognised by the J.N.F., which devoted considerable energy and money to the boring of wells and other irrigation projects. One of the most striking of these is the new water pipe-line to the Negev. About half of the Negev settlements already receive water pumped through the pipe-line.

The income of the Jewish National Fund for Great Britain and Ireland last year was £275,000. One of the Fund's most popular schemes was the planting of Yaar Yizkor in Palestine in memory of the 6,000,000 martyred Jews. So far, subscriptions for over 70,000 trees have been received.

PROTECTION FOR MINORITIES

[*From our Own Correspondent*]

NEW YORK

The alarming growth of anti-Semitic feeling in the U.S.A. since the end of the war—as reflected in the findings of a country-wide poll conducted by FORTUNE magazine—lends particular urgency to official moves to safeguard the civil rights of minorities.

In its recent report, the Committee on Civil Rights, set up by President Truman, quotes chapter and verse to prove the pervasiveness of anti-minority feeling, against negroes in the first place, but also against Jews. Commenting on the report, President Truman declares: "I created this Committee with a feeling of urgency. No sooner were we finished with the war when racial and religious intolerance began to appear and threaten the very things we had just fought for . . . . I am going to study this report with great care, and I recommend to all my countrymen that they do the same thing."

"Moral Dry Rot"

"We have considered the American heritage of freedom at some length," says the Committee's report. "The pervasive gap between our aims and what we actually do is creating a kind of moral dry-rot, which eats away at the emotional and rational bases of democratic beliefs. There are times when the difference between what we preach about civil rights and what we practise is

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TO PALESTINE BY RAIL

[*From our Own Correspondent*]

JERUSALEM

Palestinian travellers will soon be able to travel to Britain by rail via Central Europe, the Palestine Railways have announced.

The linking of Palestine with other Middle East countries and with the European network was discussed at the recent Middle East Railways Conference Association meeting at Istanbul. The Palestine Railways management hope that local conditions will permit the inauguration of the extended services after the spring meeting of the Simplon Orient-Taurus Committee which will discuss the possibility of booking from Palestine to European stations.

A regular freight service between Palestine and Europe is also under consideration, although charges may be a limiting factor.

DEPUTATION TO THE KING

Above are pictured the members of the deputation which last week presented the Loyal Address to the King, on the approaching marriage of Princess Elizabeth and Lieut. Philip Mountbatten, on behalf of the Jewish Community. Front row, left to right: Mr. A. G. Brotman, Mr. H. S. Schildkraut, Prof. S. Brodetsky, Mr. Anthony de Rothschild, Dayan H. M. Lazarus, Dr. I. Feldman, and Mr. B. B. Lieberman; back row: Mr. L. G. Montefiore, Mr. Barnett Janner, M.P., Sir Robert Waley Cohen, Lord Justice Cohen, Mr. L. J. Stein, and Mr. S. I. Salmon.

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BIRTHS

BRILL.—A son (Anthony Peter) was born on November 1, 1947, at the St. Margaret's Private Nursing Home, to Esther (Estelle), wife of Lionel Brill, of 97, Penshurst Gardens, Edgware. First grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. M. Brill, of 10, East Bank, Stamford Hill, N.16.

DEITCHMAN.—A daughter (Linda Jean) was born on Sunday, November 9, 1947, at the Middlesex Hospital, W.1, to Trudy Deitchman (née Saul), wife of William Deitchman. First grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. Saul and Mr. and Mrs. Deitchman, and first great-grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. Levine.

GERSTEN.—On November 6, at Queen Charlotte's Hospital, Hammersmith, to Lily (née Rothman), wife of Michael Gersten, 11, Northdene Gardens, N.15, a daughter (Monica Shirley) (a sister for Priscilla Dawn).

GILBERT.—On October 23, 1947, to Jennie Z. (née Rubinstein) and Gerald Gilbert, "Shalom," Newgrange Park, Bray, Eire, a darling son (Michael David) (a brother for Ruth).

JACOBS.—A son was born on Thursday, October 30, 1947, at the Woodside Nursing Home, to Renée (née Jackson), wife of B. I. Jacobs, 19, Preston Road, E.11. First grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. J. Jackson, of Hove, Brighton.

KAYE.—On November 2, 1947, to Pearl (née Kosky) and David Kaye, a son (Alan), 97, Kyverdale Road, N.16. First grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. H. Kosky, 467, Commercial Road, E.1, and second grandchild for Mrs. L. Kirshenbaum, 42, Bromehead Street, E.1.

KLEINMAN.—A darling daughter (Eve) was born on November 4, 1947, to Celia (née Seversky), wife of Abraham Kleinman, of 34, Chelmsford Square, N.W.10.

MERWITZER.—On November 4, at 112, King's Road, Prestwich, Lancs., God's precious gift of a daughter (Jacqueline Eva), to Joan (née Weinzard), wife of Isaac Merwitzer.

PATASHNIK.—On November 4, a darling son was born to Eve (née Caras), wife of Wolfe (Bob) Patashnik (a brother for Ian David).—24, Wyndale Avenue, Kingsbury, N.W.9.

REYNOLDS.—On November 1, 1947, at Crossley Nursing Home, to Rhoda (née Pollick), wife of Wolfe Reynolds, a son (Geoffrey).—22, Heywood Street, Manchester, 8.

SPRINGER.—On Monday, November 3, 1947, a darling daughter (Angela Susan) was born to Annie (née Morganstein), wife of Gus Springer (a sister for Ivor and Tony).—92, Harwood Road, Fulham, S.W.6.

TEMERLIES.—On October 28, 1947, to Jack and Jessie Temerlies, a son (Ellis Anthony) (a brother for Laurence).—93, Truro Road, N.22.

WAND.—A son (Stephen Henry) was born to Betty (née Rosen) and Philip Wand at Meteor Nursing Home on November 4, 1947. A grandson for Mrs. Diana Rosen.—"Clarissima," 2, Ridgeway Gardens, Westcliff-on-Sea.

WHIPMAN.—On November 3, 1947, at the Bearsted Memorial Hospital, to Marie (née Bomberg), wife of Harry Whipman, 17, Amhurst Parade, Stamford Hill, darling twin sons (two brothers for Linda).

BARMITZVAH

HENRY.—Michael, only child of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henry, 191, Fordwych Road, N.W.2, will read a portion of the Law on November 22, 1947, at Cricklewood Synagogue, Walm Lane, N.W.2.

HOLLENBERG.—Martin, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hollenberg, of 14, Berner Street, Stepney, E.1, will read Maftir and Haftara at the Great Synagogue, Commercial Road, E., on November 22, 1947.

LIPMAN.—Stanley, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Alec Lipman, of 5, Hessel Street, E.1, will read a portion of the Sidra תולדת and Haftara on Saturday, November 15, 1947, at the Cannon Street Road Synagogue, E. All friends will be welcome.

MANUEL.—John, only son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Manuel, 40, Gresham Gardens, N.W.11, will read Maftir and Haftara at the Golders Green Synagogue, Dunstan Road, N.W.11, on Saturday, November 15, 1947.

SILVER.—Clive, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Silver, of 101, Bryan Avenue, N.W.10, will read Maftir and Haftara at the Willesden Synagogue, Brondesbury Park, N.W.2, on Saturday, November 15, 1947.

ENGAGEMENTS

CLOMPUS : MINKES.—Mr. and Mrs. Clompus, of "Lynwood," Celyn Grove, Cyncoed, Cardiff, have pleasure in announcing the engagement of their only daughter, Ruth, to Leonard, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Minkes, of 8, Kingsland Street, Cardiff.

COHEN : ALTMAN.—The engagement is announced of Gerald, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Cohen, of 6, Ashtead Road, Stamford Hill, E.5, to Audrey, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Altman, of 96, Green Street, Forest Gate, E.7. South African papers, please copy.

FEIGIN : GILBERT.—The engagement is announced of Jack, only son of Mrs. S. Feigin and the late Mr. Z. Feigin, of 17, Pyrland Road, N.5, to Renée, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Gilbert, of 75, Greenwood Road, E.8.

GOLDBERG : TOPER.—The engagement is announced of Sybil, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Goldberg, of 21, Windmill Lane, E.15, to Jack, only son of Mrs. and the late Mr. Toper, of 14, Fairlham Grove, E.7.

GREENBERG : GLAZERMAN.—The engagement is announced of Stella, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Greenberg, of 43, Kingsland Road, Luton, Beds, to Jack, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Glazerman, of 50, Castle Street, Luton, Beds.

KATCHKY : GLAZERMAN.—The engagement is announced of Zena, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. Katchky, of 12, Abingdon Mansions, E.2, to Albert, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Glazerman, of 50, Castle Street, Luton, Beds.

LECKSTEIN : LANCER.—The engagement is announced of Michael, third son of Mrs. H. Leckstein and the late Mr. H. Leckstein, of 40, Kenneth Crescent, N.W.2, to Blanche, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lancer, of 56, Freegrove Road, London, N.7.

MANKIN : STILLERMAN.—The engagement is announced of Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mankin, 128, Ealing Village, W.5, to Norman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Stillerman, 52, Durlston Road, E.5.

REED : COHEN.—Mr. and Mrs. S. Reed, of 40, Munster Road, S.W.6, have pleasure in announcing the engagement of their eldest son, Jack, now of Montreal, to Greta, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Cohen, of Outremont, Montreal, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Zuckerman, of Dene House, Lowfell, announce that the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy, to Mr. I. Enlander, of Belfast, has been terminated.

MARRIAGES

HORWICH : EDWARDS.—The marriage arranged between Mr. Herman Horwich and Miss Jessamine V. Edwards took place quietly at Houldsworth Hall, Manchester, on Monday, November 3, 1947.

WOLLENBERG : FOX.—The marriage was solemnised on Sunday, November 9, 1947, at the Hackney Synagogue, of Rae, eldest daughter of Mrs. D. Wollenberg and the late Mr. Louis Wollenberg, of 236, Richmond Road, Hackney, E.8, to Mr. Morris Fox, of New York, U.S.A. American papers, please copy.

SILVER WEDDINGS

BUDNER.—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Budner, of 24, Belgrave Court, Chiswick, W.4, and 132, High Road, Chiswick, W.4, have pleasure in announcing their Silver Wedding on November 21, 1947.

HAMBURGER.—Mr. and Mrs. Alec Hamburger (Rose Mason) announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised on Tuesday, November 14, 1922.—24, Craigwell Road, Prestwich, Lancs.

HARRIS.—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Harris (Sarah Rashman) wish to announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at the Great Synagogue, Manchester, on November 14, 1922.—186, St. Ann's Road, Prestwich, Lancs.

DEATHS

ARENSTEIN.—On Sunday, November 9, 1947, Amelia Arenstein, aged 64, passed away peacefully after a long illness. Dearly beloved wife of Israel, and devoted mother of Evelyn (Winch) and Rose. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing husband, daughters, son-in-law, Charles, grandson, Anthony, and granddaughters, Patricia and Valerie. May God rest her dear soul in everlasting peace. Shiva at 6, Tillingbourne Gardens, Finchley, N.3.

ARONSHTAM.—On Marcheshvan 22, 5708 (November 5, 1947), Elena, widow of Hyman Aronshtam, beloved mother of Minnie (Sackstein) and Arnold. Deeply mourned by her children, son-in-law, Charles, daughter-in-law, "Babs," grandchildren, Golda, Naomi, and Neville, relatives, and friends.—20, Chetwynd Street, Liverpool, 17.

BLANK.—On Sunday, November 9, and Monday, November 10, 1947, respectively (Marcheshvan 27, 5708), Mr. and Mrs. I. Blank, the loving parents of Dorothy and Coreen, Leila and Abe Halpern, were killed in a motor car accident. A tragedy which shook all the family and friends. Shiva at 11, Hardman Avenue, Prestwich, Manchester.

BLANK.—On November 9 and 10, 1947, respectively, as the result of an accident, Isidor and Gertie Blank, beloved brother and sister-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. L. Blank, of 28, Victoria Road, Fallowfield, Manchester, and dear uncle and aunt of Mr. and Mrs. W. Blank, Dr. and Mrs. J. Science, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Hyams and families, all of Manchester. Deeply mourned.

BLANK.—On November 9, and Monday, November 10, 1947, respectively (Marcheshvan 27, 5708), Mr. and Mrs. I. Blank, killed in a motor car accident. Deeply mourned by families of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sapper, 123, Park Road, Prestwich, Mr. and Mrs. B. Goldie, 7, Haydn Avenue, Manchester, 8, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Cohen, 34, Stanley Road, Salford, 7. We loved them dearly and we shall not forget them for their sweetness and simplicity.

COLLINS.—On October 20, 1947, Leah Collins, beloved sister-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Jacobson, "Winton," Rathgar Road, Dublin. Deeply mourned by all.

DANZIG.—On October 31, Fanny Danzig, beloved foster-mother of Ann Krimkoff and Hetty Griver, mother-in-law of Barnett Krimkoff. Deeply mourned by her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.—142, Whitchurch Lane, Edgware.

ERNSTONE.—On November 2, Barnard Ernstone, beloved husband of Anne Ernstone, of 132, Wingrove Gardens, Newcastle-on-Tyne (late of Sunderland). Deeply mourned by his wife, children, and grandchildren, and relatives.

Deaths—*(Continued)*

FLEMINGER.—On Saturday, November 8, 1947, in Capetown, Sidney Fleminger, husband of the late Bessie Fleminger (née Prince), dearly beloved father of Rita and Jack. Deeply mourned.—11, Corringham Road, N.W.11.

FOOTRING.—In loving and cherished memory of my darling husband, Harry, who departed this life suddenly on November 12, 1941. Always in my thoughts. May his dear soul rest in peace.—Pearl, 6, Walpole Gardens, Strawberry Hill, Twickenham.

FORDHAM.—On November 10, 1947, after great suffering patiently borne, Ettie, aged 56, wife of the late David Fordham, of 65, Middlesex Street, London, E.1, passed away peacefully at the University College Hospital (Private Wing). Deeply mourned and sadly missed by her sorrowing and devoted children, Henry, Jacob, Israel, Bernard, Sadie, and Sylvia, daughter-in-law, intended son-in-law, relatives, and friends. May her sweet soul rest in everlasting peace. Shiva at 5, Dutton House, Middlesex Street, E.1.

FORDHAM.—On November 10, 1947, the death occurred of Mrs. Ettie Fordham. Deeply mourned and sadly missed by her Mechutanim, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Braham and family and Mr. and Mrs. Pizer and daughter.

FREED.—On November 7, 1947, with tragic suddenness, Jacob Freed, passed away. He is deeply mourned by his loving wife, sons, daughters, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, relatives, and the Congregation of the Tchechenover Shool, where he was Warden and Baal Tefila for many years. Truly a good son of Israel. May his dear soul rest in peace. Shiva at 3, Mayland Street, Bromehead Street, London, E.1.

GEASMAN.—On Friday, October 31, at the Elizabeth Garrett Anderson Hospital, Euston Road, N.W.1, Mary, aged 76, beloved wife of the late Louis Geasman, passed peacefully away. Deeply mourned by her devoted sons, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, sisters, brothers, relatives, and friends. God rest her dear soul in everlasting peace.

GOLDSTEIN.—On Thursday, November 6, 1947, Mark Goldstein, aged 66, passed away suddenly. Deeply mourned by his heartbroken wife, sons, daughters, son-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, relatives, and friends. May his dear soul rest in peace. Shiva at 24, Eastdown House, E.8. American papers, please copy.

GREEN.—On November 6, 1947, suddenly and tragically, at 227, Bradford Road, Frizinghall, Bradford, Frank Green, dearly loved brother of Asney (Mrs. A. Solomon), Gertie (Trudy) (Mrs. H. Taylor), Phil (U.S.A.), Solomon, and George. Deeply mourned by his relatives and a large circle of friends.

GROSSMAN.—On Saturday, November 1, 1947, Isaac Grossman, of 31, Hamilton Court, W.9, passed away in tragic circumstances. Deeply mourned and sadly missed by his wife, Rachel, son, Aibert, daughter-in-law, Alma, and grandson, Richard. God rest his soul in peace.

GROSSMAN.—חכל אל דאבדין ולא משתכחין On Saturday, November 1, Isaac Grossman passed away in tragic circumstances. Deeply grieved for and greatly missed by his daughter, Sylvia, son-in-law, Herbert, grandchildren, Helen, Lynda, and Simon.—"Linksmede," Hampstead Lane, N.W.3.

GROSSMAN.—On Saturday, November 8, Louis Grossman passed away in his 56th year, after a short illness. Deeply mourned by his wife, Dolly, sons, Alf and Harry, daughter-in-law, Vera, granddaughter, brothers, Willie, Joe, and Maurice, sister, Rosie Ornstein, sisters-in-law, nephews, nieces, relatives, and friends. He was an ideal husband and father and a loving brother. We shall all miss him. Shiva will be at 18, Bryanston Court, George Street, W.1.

HECKER.—On Monday, November 10, 1947, Sarah, wife of the late Isaac Hecker, passed away in her 83rd year. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing sons, daughters, daughters-in-law, sons-in-law, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. May her dear soul rest in everlasting peace.—5, Lessington Avenue, Romford.

HODES.—On Saturday, November 8, 1947 (Marcheshvan 26, 5708), Rachael, aged 68 years, dear beloved wife of the late Abraham Noah Hodes, passed away peacefully. Sorrowfully mourned by her sons, brothers, sisters, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, relatives, and friends. May her soul rest in peace. Shiva at 37, Laleham Buildings, Shoreditch, E.2. American papers, please note.

KAUFFMAN.—On November 12, 1947, Sophia Kauffman, widow of H. L. Kauffman. Deeply mourned by her heartbroken children, brother, sisters, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, and family.—12, Wilton Avenue, Sedgley Park, Prestwich.

KRAUTENFIELD.—On Sunday, November 2, 1947, after an illness borne with great fortitude, Arthur Krautenfield, aged 61. Deeply mourned by his heartbroken wife, Sarah, and sons, Leon, Sidney, and "Monty," daughter-in-law, Bella, and grandson, Keith. May his dear soul rest in everlasting peace. Shiva at 6, Bell Moor, Eastheath Road, Hampstead, N.W.3.

LEAPMAN.—On November 10, Miriam, daughter of the late Henry and Kate Leapman. Deeply mourned by all her family.

LEVY.—On November 11, 1947, at 175, Childwall Road, Liverpool, Annie Levy, beloved wife of Sol. I. Levy, and mother of Herzl, Basil, and Rex (killed in action). Deeply mourned by her husband, children, grandchildren, brothers, sisters, relatives, and numerous friends.

LEVY.—On November 9, 1947, Henry Levy, of 18, Poynings Way, Woodside Park, N.12 (late of 21, High Street, Whitechapel), passed away. Deeply mourned by his heartbroken wife, Nellie, his sorrowing children, John, Hannah, Sidney, Clarice, Woolf, Alfred, and Hettie; also Mary, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, relatives, and his many friends. May his dear soul rest in everlasting peace. Shiva at above address.

LEVY.—In loving remembrance of "Dad" (Henry Levy), who passed away November 9, 1947. Sadly missed by his sorrowing daughters-in-law, Jean, Grace, Sadie, and Raie, his sons-in-law, Berney and Sidney. Peace to his dear soul.

LEVY.—On November 9, 1947, at 24, Harehills Avenue, Leeds, 7, Sarah Levy, aged 65, beloved wife of Nathan, and darling mother of Kitty and Anita. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing husband, children, grandchildren, brothers, sisters, sons-in-law, relatives, and friends. Always remembered for her unselfishness and sterling character. May her dear soul rest in everlasting peace.

Deaths—*(Continued)*

LYONS.—On Friday, November 7, 1947, Leah Lyons, of 61, Ellesmere Road, Chiswick, dearly beloved wife of Samuel Lyons. Deeply mourned by her husband, children, and relatives.

MELINEK.—On Tuesday, November 11, 1947 (כח״ מרחשון) Rita Melinek. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing parents, brothers, sisters, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, relatives, and friends. God rest her sweet soul in everlasting peace. Shiva at 101, Cazenove Road, N.16.

MILLER.—On Thursday, November 6, suddenly, Maurice Lewis Miller, aged 65, dearly loved and darling husband of Kitty, and father of Gerald, to their inexpressible grief. Interment was at Willesden on November 9. Shiva was at 154, Neasden Lane, Neasden, N.W.10. Also deeply mourned by his brothers, Isaac and Max, and a host of relatives and friends. A gentle heart has ceased to beat. To know him was to love him. Australian papers, please copy.

NAFTALISON.—On October 21, 1947, at 3, Highfield Gardens, N.W.11, Pearl, the beloved wife of the late Albert Naftalison, darling and devoted mother of Anne Price, who has been left with a broken heart. May her dear soul rest in everlasting peace.—"Jassyville," Merthyrmawr Road, Bridgend, Glam.

PAUL.—The death occurred on Wednesday, November 5, 1947, of Mrs. Ada Paul, of 33, Streatleigh Court, S.W.16. Unselfish, unflinching in the execution of her duty, kindly, a true and devoted mother. Loved and respected by all with whom she came in contact. Deeply mourned by her loving children, Arthur, Polly, Jenny, Sidney, Anne, and Rose, daughters-in-law, Raie and Anne, sons-in-law, Israel, Philip, Alfred, and Samuel, Mechutanim, Mr. and Mrs. I. Gottfried, Mr. and Mrs. M. Silverstone, Mrs. H. Freedman, and grandchildren, Dr. Harold Brave, Ivan and Raymond Paul, Ivor Silverstone, Celia and Marlene Freedman, Irene and Blanche, and Victor, and a large circle of friends. May God rest her dear soul in peace.

RAVEN.—On November 5, 1947, Raie, my dearest and closest friend. Sadly missed and mourned by Mr. and Mrs. Angel, Macclesfield. May her dear soul rest in everlasting peace.

ROBBIN.—On Wednesday, November 5, 1947, suddenly, Annie Robbin, beloved sister and sister-in-law of Abraham Eisner. Deeply mourned.—19, Sneyd Road, N.W.2.

ROER (Levy).—On November 9, 1947, two weeks after the death of his dear wife, Freda, Israel Morris Roer (Levy), of 74, Sidney Street, E.1. Deeply mourned by his children, grandchild, relatives, and friends.

ROSEMAN.—On November 9, 1947, at 13, Thornhill Road, Plymouth, Lena, widow of the late Myer Roseman. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing children, Ena, Bertha, and Israel, relatives, and friends. May her dear soul rest in everlasting peace.

ROSEN.—The directors and staff of the Artskirt Co. Ltd. deeply mourn the passing on October 30 of David Rosen, an esteemed colleague and friend, and extend to his widow and daughter their deepest sympathy in their irreparable loss.

ROSENTHAL.—On November 6, 1947, suddenly at 28, Bignor Street, Manchester, 8, our dear mother, Clara, widow of the late Samuel Rosenthal, passed peacefully away. Deeply mourned by her heartbroken sons, daughters, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, grandchildren, relatives, and friends. May our dear mother rest in peace.

ROSENTHAL.—On November 6, 1947, my dear mother, Clara, widow of the late Samuel Rosenthal, passed peacefully away. Sadly missed by her daughter, Jenny, son-in-law, Dr. Henry Lipson, and grandchildren, Ann, Stephen, and Judith.—22, Cranmer Road, Didsbury, Manchester, 20.

SEGAL.—On Thursday, November 6, Reuben Peter Segal, of 47, Exeter Road, N.W.2. Deeply mourned by his wife, Ida, sons, Jeffrey and Michael, and daughter-in-law, Rose. May his soul rest in peace.

SEGAL.—On Thursday, November 6, Reuben Peter Segal, of 47, Exeter Road, N.W.2. Deeply mourned by his sister, Anne Cohen, his brothers, Nathan, Henry, Morris, Michael, and Barnet, brothers-in-law, and sisters-in-law. May his soul rest in peace.

SHELDON.—On November 6, at 38, Hamilton Avenue, Leeds, 7, Jack, aged 62, dearly beloved husband of the late Rosa Sheldon (née Barnett, of Stockton-on-Tees). Deeply mourned by his sorrowing sons, daughter-in-law, granddaughter, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, relatives, and friends. American papers, please copy.

SHERWOOD.—On November 7, 1947, at 22, Aldford House, Park Lane, W.1, Peggy, most beloved wife of Louie Sherwood, darling mother of Philip and Fay, and devoted sister of Sadie Seymour, 102, Dorset House, N.W.1, and Annie Abrahams, 4, Meredith Avenue, N.W.2. Deeply mourned and sadly missed.

SIMMONS.—On October 31, at Worthing, Morris Simmons, beloved brother of the late Louis E. Simmons, devoted and revered brother-in-law and uncle of Mimi, Ronnie, Bertha, and Stanley. Very deeply mourned.

SORSKY.—On Sunday, November 9, 1947, Jenny Sorsky, late of Liverpool and Southport. Deeply mourned by her heartbroken sisters, brothers, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, relatives, and a large circle of friends. May her dear soul rest in peace.—28, Warwick Lodge, Shoot-up Hill, N.W.2.

SPECTERMAN.—On Sunday, November 9, Julia Specterman, dearly beloved wife of Abraham. Deeply mourned by her loving and devoted husband, daughters, Florence and Gertrude, sister, Amelia, sons-in-law, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, nieces, nephews, grandchildren, and friends. May her dear soul rest in everlasting peace.—17, Hadley Court, Cazenove Road, N.16.

TRASTMAN.—On Marcheshvan 25, Millie Trastman, 17, Leabourne Road, Stamford Hill. She left a beautiful memory and a sorrow too great to be told, but to those who loved her, her memory will never grow old. Always in the thoughts of her broken-hearted children, sisters, relatives, and friends. May her sweet soul rest in peace.

WAGNER.—On Sunday, November 9, at 51, St. John's Court, Finchley Road, N.W.3, Reuben Wagner, in his 76th year. Deeply mourned by his wife, Sadie, son, Stanley, and by his daughter-in-law, Renée, and his grandchildren, John and Valerie.

IN MEMORIAM

DIED ON ACTIVE SERVICE

ALEXANDER.—In proud and ever loving memory of Sgt. Pilot Harold Alexander, R.A.F.V.R., killed in action November 15, 1941. Deeply mourned and sadly missed by his devoted parents, and brothers Laurence, Maurice, and Dennis.

In Memoriam—*(Continued)*

CALMAN.—Everlasting cherished memories of Albert Calman, killed in Antwerp November 19, 1944. Terribly missed by Dolly and darling Michael, mother, sister, brother-in-law. May his dear soul rest in peace.

EDELMAN.—In loving and treasured memory of our darling son, A/LA. Cyril Laurence Edelman, R.N.V.R. (Fleet Air Arm), who died on active service November 14, 1942 (Kislev 5, 5703), at the age of 20½ years. Deeply mourned by his sorrowing and broken-hearted parents, brothers, and sister-in-law. May his dear soul rest in peace. Always in our hearts and thoughts.—3, Belvedere Court, Finchley, London, N.2 (late of 64, Fountayne Road, London, N.16).

MANDELSON.—Cherished memories of Flight Lieut. Norman Mandelson, taken from us November 19, 1945. Ever in the thoughts of his parents, brother, Jeffrey, and relatives.—12, Menlove Gardens North, Liverpool, 18.

ALBUM.—In ever loving memory of our dearly beloved mother, Rebecca Album, who passed away November 5, 1937 (Kislev 2, 5698). God rest her dear soul. May our dear mother rest in peace. Her teachings live on to guide her adoring children, Ada, Jennie, Mark, and Sidney. Also sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren.—Reading.

BLOW.—In loving memory of our dear father and grandfather, Morris Blow, who passed away November 13, 1933. Sadly missed. May his dear soul rest in peace.

COHEN.—In loving memory of Betty (and Anita), who both passed away November 21, 1940. Never forgotten.—21, Moundfield Road, N.16.

DOBKIN.—Beautiful memories of our wonderful mother and grandmother (Rachel Leah) (Manchester), whom God called Kislev 3, 5692. Deeply mourned.

FALBER.—In loving remembrance of Jenny, dearly beloved wife of Albert Falber, 51, Dunstan Road, Golders Green, N.W.11, who died through enemy action on November 19, 1940. Still very sadly missed by her sorrowing husband, mother, sister Anne, and her children, Paul and Marlene.

FALBER.—To the treasured memory of Leah Falber, who died through enemy action on November 19, 1940.—Remembered with increasing affection by her sorrowing sons, daughters, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, and grandchildren.

FELDMAN.—Remembering Kate Feldman, of 64, Highview Avenue, Edgware, who died Shabbas morning, November 16, 1946. Her wisdom and courage will never be forgotten by her sons, daughters, son-in-law, grandchildren, relatives, and friends. May our darling mother rest in peace.

FREEMAN.—In loving memory of Jacob Freeman, late of Bristol, and Port Talbot, who passed away November 18, 1944. Deeply mourned by his loving wife, Annie, sons, daughters, and family.

FRYER.—In loving memory of our dear parents Louis and Kate Fryer, who died November 15, 1946, and June 5, 1940. Sadly missed and remembered by Reuben, Miriam, and grandson, Keith.

GOLDBERG.—In loving memory of Rachel, widow of the late Louis Goldberg, who died November 8, 1946. Ever remembered by her daughters, Gertrude, Edith, and Marie. Peace to her dear soul.—11, Dunstan Houses, E.1.

GORDON.—In loving memory of our devoted sister (Deborah), who was taken from us so tragically November 18, 1945. For ever remembered by her sorrowing sisters, Ray, Lily, and Jennie, devoted brother, Harry, brothers-in-law, sister-in-law, nephews, and nieces. May her dear soul rest in everlasting peace.—26, Spurstowe Road, Hackney, E.8.

GREENHILL.—In loving memory of Anne (née Silverman), who passed away November 15, 1946, sister of Rebecca, Hyman, Jean and Lily. Deeply mourned. May her soul rest in peace.

HART.—Treasured memories of our darling wife and mother, Jane, who passed away November 23, 1946. Sadly missed by her husband, daughters, sons-in-law, and grandchildren. Peace to her dear soul.—27, Crescent Road, Sheffield, 7.

HART.—Treasured and unfading memories of my dearly beloved mother, Jane Hart, who passed away November 23, 1946. Always in our thoughts.—Mabel, Saul, and family, 80, Reddings Road, Birmingham, 13.

HUGLIN.—Cherished memories of our darling sister, Sarah Huglin, of Liverpool (née Sugarman, Sheffield), who died November 13, 1917. Terribly missed by her sister, Lily Cole (Manchester), and brother, Henry.

ISRAEL.—In undying memory of our darling wife and mother, Hannah (Rosie), who departed from us on Sunday, November 24, 1946. Time cannot quench our sorrow and our love will grow with the passing of the years. May her darling soul rest in everlasting peace.—Moss and Michael (Bobbie).

JACKSON.—In memory of our dearest sister, Belle, who died November 16, 1944.—Hetty, Minnie, 25, Sandringham Road, St. Annes.

JOSEPHS.—In loving memory of Percy Ashley, who was taken from us on November 14, 1946. Sadly missed by his heartbroken mother, sister, and friends.

KISBERG.—In sacred and treasured memory of our dear husband and father, Harris Kisberg, who was taken from us on Kislev 5, 5706. Deeply mourned and never forgotten by his heartbroken wife, Betsy, children, Eva and Samuel, grandchild, Jane, sisters, Annie and Esther, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends. We always think of him in silence. May his dear soul rest in everlasting peace.—24, Viceroy Lodge, Kingsway, Hove.

LUSTIG.—To the beautiful memory of our own darling Kitty, who left us so tragically on November 16, 1946. No time can heal this perpetual heartache. May God grant peace to her sweet young soul. So terribly longed for by her devoted brothers, sisters, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, nieces, and nephews.

LUSTIG.—In ever loving memory of my adored sister, Kitty, who died November 16, 1946, aged 26 years. She left a beautiful memory and a sorrow too great to be told, but to those who loved and lost her her memory will never grow old. May our sister rest in peace. Sadly missed by her heartbroken sister, Miriam, brother-in-law, Ben, and niece, Marcia.—61, Sudbrooke Road, S.W.12.

MIRRELSON.—In cherished and unfading memory of our darling wife and mother, Bessie Mirrelson (née Hayman), who passed away November 26, 1946 (Kislev 3, 5707). Deeply mourned and sadly missed by her devoted husband, Maurice, and daughters.—"Besmaur," Merrion Road, Ballsbridge, Dublin, Eire.

In Memoriam—*(Continued)*

MIRRELSON.—In loving memory of our darling sister, Bessie Mirrelson, who left us broken-hearted November 26, 1946 (Kislev 3, 5707), to join our parents, Michael (Max) and Ethel Hayman. She gave so much and asked so little. Also our sweet young sister, Tillie, October 13, 1918 (Marcheshvan 7, 5679). Always in the thoughts of their sisters, brothers, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, nieces, and nephews.

MENDOZA.—In loving memory of Lily, who passed away November 15, 1945. Sadly missed by her husband, son, daughters, sons-in-law, and grandchildren.

MILLER.—In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Aron Miller, who died November 15, 1944. Always remembered by his loving wife, children, and grandchildren.

POMARANTZ.—In loving memory of our dear father, Alexander Felix Pomarantz.—From Harry, Dorothy, and Gerald.

SEGAL.—In loving and unfading memory of a devoted husband and "Daddy," Jacob (Jack) Segal, who was taken from us November 16, 1945. In memory we see him just the same, as long as we live we will treasure his name. Deeply mourned and sadly missed by his devoted wife, Julia, son, Monty, daughter, Millie, son-in-law, Victor. May his dear soul rest in everlasting peace.—40, Newick Road, Clapton.

SEIFERT.—In cherished memory of Marion Fremit Seifert. Deeply missed by her husband, family, relatives, Mechutanim, and friends.

SHEARE.—In cherished and treasured memory of Dr. Sydney Sheare, who departed this life November 16, 1946. Dearly beloved son of Freda and the late Sam Sheare, darling brother of Edna. For ever in the thoughts of his mother, sister, and relatives. May his sweet soul rest in everlasting peace.—20, St. Mary's Avenue, Monkseaton.

STONE.—In unfading and loving memory of our darling mother, Rachel, who passed away November 14, 1944 (Marcheshvan 28, 5705). For ever in our hearts.—From her loving daughters, Cissie and Bella, sons-in-law, Jack and Paul, and grandchildren.

TAVROGES.—Sweetest thoughts and treasured memories of our darling wife and mother, Rachel, who passed away Kislev 4, 5698. A life-long sorrow. For ever sadly missed by her husband, children, and grandchildren.

TYNDALL.—In loving remembrance of father, mother "Polly," and baby Barrie, who passed away November 16, 1940, as the result of enemy action. Gone from our sight, they still live in our hearts. May their dear souls rest in everlasting peace.—Robert, Barnet, and Joseph, 32, Blairderry Road, Streatham, S.W.2.

WALTERS.—In loving memory of my beloved mother, Rose, who passed away November 30, 1943 (Kislev 3, 5704). No passage of time can diminish the love, honour, and respect for an adored mother. Deeply mourned and sadly missed by her loving son, Ian.

WALTERS.—In devoted memory of our dearly beloved mother, Rose, who passed away November 30, 1943 (Kislev 3, 5704). Deeply mourned and sadly missed by her daughters, Irene (Mrs. Jacob), Cicely (Mrs. Rasch), sons-in-law, Alfred and Albert, and grandchildren.

WIENSTEIN.—In treasured memory of my dearly beloved mother, Sonia, who passed away November 23, 1933. Ever missed by her son, Aubrey.—44, Dollis Road, N.3.

MEMORIAL STONES

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16

BROOME.—The memorial stone in loving memory of Morris Broome, brother of Ben (43, Granville Place, Finchley, N.12) and Benam (of Chicago) will be consecrated at Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, November 16, 1947, at 2.30 p.m. Will relatives and friends kindly accept this as the only intimation.

FREEDMAN.—The memorial stone in loving memory of Charlotte Freedman (late of Huddersfield) will be consecrated on Sunday, November 16, at Gildersome Cemetery, Leeds. Carriages from New Synagogue, Chapeltown Road, Leeds, at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends please accept this as the only intimation.

GALLER.—The consecration of the memorial to the treasured memory of our dearly beloved husband and father, Harry (Bob) Galler, will take place at Edmonton Cemetery at 2 p.m. on Sunday, November 16, 1947.—65, Glendale Avenue, Edgware, Middlesex.

POST.—The tombstone in loving memory of the late Mr. Alf Post will be unveiled at Rainsough Cemetery on Sunday, November 16, 1947. Meet at Homes for Aged at 2 p.m. Proceed to cemetery for unveiling at 2.45 p.m. and proceed to Yeshivah for unveiling at 3.30 p.m.—72, Waterpark Road, Broughton Park, Salford, 7.

ROSEMAN.—The memorial stone in loving memory of the late David Leonard Roseman will be consecrated at Willesden Cemetery on Sunday, November 16, at 12 noon.—801, Finchley Road, N.W.11.

SCHMANT (Lewis).—The memorial stone in loving memory of Rosie Schmant will be consecrated at Willesden Cemetery on Sunday, November 16, at 12.30 p.m.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23

BARBANEL.—The memorial stone in memory of the late David Barbanel and family will be consecrated at Marlow Road Cemetery on Sunday, November 23, at 2.30 p.m. Relatives and friends please accept this as the only intimation.

DENT.—The memorial stone in loving memory of the late Mark Dent will be consecrated at Marlow Road Cemetery, East Ham, on Sunday, November 23, at 3.30 p.m.

EKER.—The memorial stone in loving memory of the late Mark Eker will be consecrated at Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, November 23, at 3 p.m. Conveyances will leave 31, Rutland Park Mansions, Willesden Green, at 2 p.m. Will relatives and friends please accept this as the only intimation.

GILBERT.—The memorial stone in loving memory of the late Leiba Gilbert will be consecrated at Streatham Cemetery, Greyhound Lane, on Sunday, November 23, at 3 p.m. Conveyances will leave 5, St. Thomas's Mansions, Stangate, Westminster Bridge, S.E.1, at 2.15 p.m. prompt.

GOLDBERG.—The memorial stone in loving memory of the late Peter (Pizer) Goldberg will be consecrated at Marlow Road Cemetery, East Ham, on Sunday, November 23, at 3 p.m. Relatives and friends please accept this as the only intimation.—49, Holders Hill Avenue, Hendon, N.W.4.

GOTTLIEB.—The consecration of the memorial to the late Mrs. Annie Gottlieb will take place on Sunday, November 23, at 2.30 p.m. at Witton New Cemetery, Birmingham. Only intimation.

Memorial Stones—*(Continued)*

KAUFMAN.—The tombstone in loving memory of the late Shea and Golda Kaufman will be consecrated at the Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, November 23, 1947, at 2.30 p.m. Coach will leave at 1.45 p.m. from 82, Alkham Road, Stamford Hill, N.16. Communications to: S. Kenton, 9, New Drive, High Wycombe, Bucks.

MORRIS.—The memorial stone in loving memory of the late Myer Morris, of 8, West Drive, Brighton, 7, Sussex, will be consecrated at the Willesden Cemetery on Sunday, November 23, 1947, at 3 p.m.

NEMENCHINSKY (Newman).—The memorial stone in loving memory of our dear mother, Zipa Nemenchinsky, will be consecrated at Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, November 23, 1947, at 11.30 a.m.

SADO.—The memorial stone in loving memory of the late David Sado will be consecrated at Marlow Road Cemetery, East Ham, on Sunday, November 23, at 1.30 p.m. Will relatives and friends accept this as the only intimation.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30

LEVENSON.—Owing to unforeseen circumstances, the consecration of the memorial stone in memory of our dearly beloved daughter, Rene, of 6, Argyle Road, Ilford, will now take place at Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, November 30, at 2.30 p.m.

BIRTHDAYS, FELICITATIONS, ETC.

Loving wishes and fondest congratulations to our darling daughter and son-in-law, Lynne and Ronnie Molyneux, on their first wedding anniversary (November 17, 1947), from "Mummy" and "Dad."—"Evedene," High-view Gardens, Finchley, N.3.

PERSONAL

The family of the late Mr. J. Ettinger (Simpson), Derby, thank relatives and friends for their kind letters and condolences sent them in their sad bereavement.

The family of the late Louis Green, of 192, Evering Road, Clapton, E.5, wish to thank relatives and friends for their kind visits, letters, and expressions of sympathy in their very sad bereavement.

The sons and daughters and family of the late Mrs. S. Green, of 31, Plumstead Road, S.E.18, wish to express their sincere thanks to the Rabbi and Minister, and to all their relatives and friends for the kind visits, good wishes, and condolences in their sad bereavement.

The family of the late Mr. Meyer Joel Miller, who passed away in Tel-Aviv on November 2, sincerely thank relatives and friends for their kind visits and messages of condolence received in their irreparable loss.

The family of the late Joseph Rosen wish to thank all relatives and friends for their visits, letters, and expressions of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.—40, Cyprus Road, Finchley, N.3.

Mr. P. Seals, Leonie, and Sydney wish to thank relatives, friends, clergy, the South-East London Synagogue Ladies' Guild and Social and Literary Society and other organisations for their kind letters, visits, and telegrams of sympathy received in their sad bereavement.—268, New Cross Road, S.E.14.

Mr. Daniel Silver, and Paul, Sydney, and Lionel Davidson desire to thank all relatives and friends for letters, cards, and kind expressions of sympathy received by them in their recent sad bereavement.—"Glendoe," Netherton Road, Newton Mearns.

Mr. Sam Webber, of 120, Edgware Road, W.2, wishes to thank all his good friends for their very kind wishes during the recent illness of his wife, Rene, at the Royal Masonic Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cohen wish to thank all relatives and friends for the congratulatory telegrams, letters, and good wishes received on the occasion of the birth of their first grandson, Roger Andrew.—27, Chessington Avenue, Finchley, N.3.

Mr. and Mrs. David Finkel (Cissie Grew) wish sincerely to thank all relatives and friends for their good wishes, telegrams, flowers, and lovely gifts received on the occasion of their Silver Wedding.—49, Bushy Park Road, Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kreitman wish to thank their parents, relatives, and friends, for the telegrams, good wishes, and kind letters received on the occasion of the birth of their darling son, Roger Andrew.—16, Lytton Close, N.2.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Robins thank parents, relatives, friends, Sunderland Home for Aged, Jesmond Synagogue, and the Rev. E. Drukker for presents and telegrams received on the occasion of their marriage.

Master Arnold Strongwater, of 16, Hall Park Avenue, Chalkwell, Essex, wishes to thank his dear parents, grandparents, relatives, and numerous friends for the handsome gifts, telegrams, and flowers received on the occasion of his Barmitzvah.

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SERVICES every Sabbath, and Talmud Torah Classes Mondays and Wednesdays at 5.30 p.m., are held at Faircross School, Hulse Avenue, Barking. Communications to Honorary Secretary, M. Saideman, 246, Westrow Drive, Barking.

CRICKLEWOOD SYNAGOGUE
Walm Lane, N.W.2

READER this (Friday) evening and tomorrow (Sabbath), the Rev. J. Englemayer (of Basle).

HIGHAMS PARK AND CHINGFORD SYNAGOGUE
Marlborough Road, E.4

A MEMORIAL Service to the late Morris Gordon, late of 4, Malford Court, S. Woodford, E.18, will be held at the Synagogue, Sunday, Nov. 23, at 3.15 p.m. Friends are asked to accept this as the only intimation.

GOLDERS GREEN KINDERGARTEN

THE new modern kindergarten in Golders Green still has vacancies. Kosher meals are provided and qualified staff in attendance.—Applications to Private Nursery School and Kindergarten, Anny Schwarzbart, 7, Elmcroft Avenue (off Hoop Lane). (MEA. 2525.)

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LAMPARD GROVE BETH HAMIDRASH

A MEMORIAL Meeting in memory of the Biala Rabbi, N. D. Rabinowicz זצ"ל will be held on Sunday, November 16, 1947, at 4 p.m. at above address.

MUSWELL HILL CONGREGATION
Athenæum Buildings, Muswell Hill, N.10

An Armistice Remembrance Service will be held at the Synagogue to-morrow (Shabbat) morning. November 16. Service commences 9.30. The address will be given by the Rev. J. Weintrobe, B.A., H.C.F.

PUBLIC NOTICES

In the Estate of ANNIE GOLDMAN Deceased
Pursuant to S. 27 of the Trustee Act 1925

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Annie Goldman late of 159 Green Lanes Islington London Widow who died on the 7th day of April 1947 and Letters of Administration to whose estate were granted out of the Principal Probate Registry on the 4th October 1947 to Moses David Goldman the Administration to whose estate were granted out send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned the Solicitors for the said Administrator on or before the 18th day of January 1948 after which date the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets having regard only to valid claims then notified.

DATED this 17th day of October 1947.
TEFF TEFF & ROSE
232/8, Bishopsgate, London, E.C.2
Solicitors for the Administrator.

In the Estate of LEWIS GOLDSER Deceased
Pursuant to S. 27 of the Trustee Act 1925

ALL persons having claims against the Estate of Lewis Goldser late of 13 Northfield Road Stamford Hill London Packing Case Manufacturer who died on the 1st day of April 1947 and Letters of Administration to whose estate were granted in the Principal Probate Registry on the 10th day of October 1947 to Jean Wilder, Marcus Goldser and Barnett Goldser the Administrators named therein are required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned the Solicitors for the said Administrators on or before the 18th day of January 1948 after which date the said Administrators will proceed to distribute the assets having regard only to valid claims then notified.

DATED this 16th day of October 1947.
TEFF TEFF & ROSE
232/8, Bishopsgate, London, E.C.2
Solicitors for the Administrators.

DENNIS POLLOCK Deceased
Pursuant to the Trustee Act 1925

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the Estate of Dennis Pollock deceased late of 12 Ridge Avenue Letchworth Herts Furrier who died on the 31st October 1946 are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to Pearl Pollock of 16 Golders Gardens Golders Green London the Administratrix of the Estate of the said Dennis Pollock or to the undersigned, the Solicitors to the Administratrix, on or before the 16th January 1948, after which date the said Administratrix will proceed to distribute the Estate having regard only to the claims then notified.

DATED the 31st day of October 1947.
A. OLDSCHOOL & CO.,
9, Ironmonger Lane, E.C.2.
Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

EDUCATIONAL

PIANOFORTE. John de la Fuente, Amsterdam Conservatoire graduate, teaches at Weekes' Studios by appointment.—Write to 126, Hendon Lane, N.3.

AGENCIES

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SITUATIONS VACANT

COMMUNAL

UNITED SYNAGOGUE

CANONS PARK AND DISTRICT SYNAGOGUE. Applications are invited for the office of Minister/Reader/Teacher (whole-time); salary £500 p.a. Applicants should be under 45, must have (or be able to obtain) the Chief Rabbi's Certificate and must pass a medical examination. Applications must be in writing, stating age, qualifications, experience, etc., accompanied by copies of testimonials, and must reach the Synagogue concerned (addressed to the Honorary Officers, 9, Glanleam Road, Stanmore, Middlesex) not later than Monday, December 1, 1947.

JEWISH BOARD OF GUARDIANS. Applications are invited from women for the post of: (1) A Welfare Officer to assist in the department dealing with the welfare of old people; able to supervise administration of almshouses and hostels and visit old people; salary scale £300-£25-£500, plus cost of living allowance; non-contributory pension scheme. (2) An Assistant Welfare Officer for the Health and Convalescence Department; work to include children's cases; salary scale £250-£25-£350, plus cost of living allowance, non-contributory pension scheme; prospects of promotion.—Apply in writing, with full particulars, to the Secretary, 127, Middlesex Street, Bishopsgate, London, E.1.

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LIVERPOOL, GREENBANK DRIVE CONGREGATION, require at once capable Secretary/Second Reader, able to teach.—Write stating age, salary, experience, etc., to Mr. S. Bolin, 14, Dale St., Liverpool, 2.

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COMMERCIAL

ASSISTANT required by senior partner in well-known firm of chemical and fertiliser merchants; excellent opportunity for capable, hard-working young man, with knowledge of languages, handling of export documents, etc., and experience in chemical and fertiliser trade.—Address, 8,790, Jewish Chronicle.

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SITUATIONS WANTED

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By Order of Executor, Mortgagees & Others

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Parliament

NO DEBATE YET ON PALESTINE

[*From our Political Correspondent*]

Requests for a debate on Palestine before the British Government comes to a decision on the U.N. proposals were rejected last week by Mr. Herbert Morrison, Leader of the House of Commons. The request was first made by Mr. S. S. Silverman (Lab., Nelson and Colne), and was subsequently supported on the Labour side by Mr. B. Janner (Lab., Leicester, W.) and Mr. I. Mikardo (Lab., Reading), and on the Conservative side by Mr. Oliver Stanley (Cons., Bristol, W.) and Mr. Eden (Cons., Warwick and Leamington).

Mr. Silverman had suggested that the Commons should be consulted while Mr. Creech Jones, the Colonial Secretary, was back in England. Mr. Morrison replied that the Palestine question was still under consideration by the U.N. General Assembly. He thought a debate in the Commons would be "premature and inconvenient at the moment."

What is Government's Policy?

Mr. Silverman then put the point. "Ought not the House to be given a statement, so that we know what the Government's policy is and can have an opportunity of discussing its consequences?" Mr. Oliver Stanley, who leads the Opposition on Colonial Affairs, said, "I think that all of us realise that this is a very difficult and delicate subject, but we are rather frightened that we shall be told that the time is not opportune for debate until a final decision has been taken, so that a debate then will have no influence on what will happen in the future."

Repeating the view that a debate would not be convenient, Mr. Morrison said: "I think the representatives of the Government at the U.N. must take the responsibility of declaring the Government's view." In reply to Mr. Eden, he said, "I cannot give an undertaking that it will be debated before the Government indicate their final view to the Assembly."

"EXODUS" RATIONS

2 Out of 4,235 Refugees Went to France

Dr. S. Segal (Lab., Preston) asked the Foreign Secretary what reduction in calories was imposed on the "Exodus" refugees who decided to remain in Germany; how many of them decided to remain there; and how many accepted the offer of the Government of transport to France.

Mr. Mayhew (Under-Secretary): "The "Exodus" refugees are now entitled to the same ration scale as the Germans. 4,233 decided to remain in Germany; two volunteered to go to France."

A MAN WHO THREATENED FASCISTS

Questions by Mr. C. W. Gibson (Lab., Kennington) and Lt.-Col. M. Lipton (Lab., Brixton) were put to the Home Secretary about a man who had been approached by police of the Special Branch of Scotland Yard in regard to an alleged statement on Fascist activities which he made at a meeting of the Lambeth Trades Council.

Mr. Chuter Ede (Home Secretary) said that the attention of the Director of Public Prosecutions had been called to a Press report of this alleged statement, in which the man advocated the use of violence to smash up Fascist meetings. The man when interviewed by the police admitted, after being cautioned, the accuracy of the Press report, but said that he had not realised that there was a danger of incitement to violence, and he would in future refrain from any such remark or action. The police then warned him that any attempt to implement threats of violence or to threaten violence in public would render him liable to prosecution.

However detestable a doctrine might be, said Mr. Ede, the law did not allow the use of violence or threats of violence as methods of countering it, and he could find no ground for any action on his part.

"SAVE THE CHILDREN"

The Rev. I. Livingstone, speaking at a meeting in St. Alban's Hall, Golders Green, at which a local committee was formed to support the "Save the Children Fund," referred to the work of the Jewish Relief Units and other Jewish organisations.

But, added Mr. Livingstone, he was certain that many members of the Jewish Community would give willing help also to organisations like the "Save the Children Fund."

The meeting was also addressed by Miss Francesca Wilson, who presided, Mr. Edward Fuller (Editor of "The World's Children"), and Dr. Cyril Elgood (Director of the S.C.F. Hospital at Schlutup, near Lubeck).

SERMON FOR THE WEEK

Pride of Descent

IT is related of Abraham Mendelssohn, the son of the famous Moses Mendelssohn, and the father of the distinguished musician, Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy, that he was wont to complain humorously that, when he was a boy he was always pointed out as "the son of the famous Mendelssohn," and when he was an old man, his claim to distinction rested upon the fact that he was "the father of the famous Mendelssohn-Bartholdy."

That story, possibly apocryphal, can be regarded as a commentary upon the unusual phrasing of the first verse of the portion of this week, "And these are the generations of Isaac the son of Abraham, Abraham begat Isaac." There are some men whose sole claim to notice depends upon the fact that they are the children of a distinguished father, while they themselves are undistinguished in their own right; there are others who emerge from obscurity only because they are the progenitors of outstanding children. In the case of the patriarchs, however, the father could be as proud of the son as the son could be proud of the father. Not only could Isaac be pointed to as "Isaac the son of Abraham," but Abraham could take a legitimate pride in the fact that "Abraham begat Isaac."

AND let it be said in parenthesis that this combination is one of the rarest which is to be found in history. The quality of genius in particular, and spiritual qualities in general, are essentially personal qualities which are rarely transmitted to children. History presents few examples of a son emulating the fame of his father. In the hundreds of years of the Talmudic period, for instance, one can point to but one outstanding example of transmitted genius, the House of the Nasi, the descendants of Hillel.

But the implications of this interpretation go far beyond these historical speculations on the transmission of genius. There lies in them a rousing call to a sense of spiritual responsibility on the part of the "sons of Abraham" who we all claim to be. Our distinguished descent causes us to concentrate overmuch on the fact that we are "Isaac the son of Abraham." We fail as a result to rise to the level of "Abraham gave birth to Isaac," the pride of the progenitor.

What have we Jews given to the world? With pride, we give the answer, and it trips readily off the tongue. We have given the Bible to the world, we have given it the Ten Commandments, which are the very foundation of the civilised world. We have given them the Prophets with their insistence upon the ideals of justice and righteousness. Nay, whatever there is in the world of knowledge of God, of a conscious striving towards spiritual betterment, towards the ultimate triumph of right, and the establishment of the Kingdom of God upon earth, has been the direct or indirect legacy of the Jewish people to the world.

Throughout the ages of the Jewish dispersion, we have acted as a silent but eloquent witness to the principles of the rights of the minority, of adherence to conviction. When with a mere formula we could have purchased freedom and security, we remained firm in our faith, inviting opprobrium and persecution for the right to be true to our faith.

ONE could go on at interminable length; one could wax panegyric over the remarkable contributions which we have made to the world; and it would all be true and still remain an understatement. But, then, one has to ask, "Who are the 'we' referred to?" Do we refer to ourselves, to Jewry of the present generation? What, indeed, have *we* done to propagate the ideals of justice and righteousness, what contribution have *we* made towards the establishment of the Kingdom of God upon earth? How true have *we* been to the principles of our faith? One has only to ask the question, for all our complacency and self-pride to deflate itself like a pricked balloon. We realise that the "we" to whom we refer are not ourselves, but our forebears, that our sole claim to self-justification is that we are "Isaac the son of Abraham," descendants of distinguished forebears; but that, in our case, "Abraham" has little reason for spiritual pride in the fact that he "begat Isaac."

Let me conclude, as I have begun, with an anecdote. It is related that to an assembly of Jewish notables, each one of whom bore a distinguished name, a self-made man of obscure descent was invited, who had no claim to ancient or honourable lineage. He was spurned and ostracised, and various subtle, but sneering, references were made to him as an upstart, a parvenu, etc. In the course of his address, he was stung to a retort. "The difference between me and you," he said bitingly, "is that with you your 'Yichus' ends; with me, it begins!" It is indeed time that we began to pay less attention to the "Yichus" that we are the "sons of Abraham," and begin to acquire the "Yichus atzmo" of "Abraham begat Isaac."

C.B.F. AID SCHEME MEETS WITH APATHY

Hammersmith Meeting Fiasco

[*By a* JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*]

Strong comments on the very small attendance at an emergency meeting held at the Hammersmith Synagogue, Brook Green, on Monday in support of the plan of the Association of Jewish Ex-Service Men and Women to help the C.B.F., was made by the Chairman, the Rev. S. Venitt. Only 16 persons were present, half of them being officials of the synagogue, the Association, and the C.B.F.

Rabbi I. Brodie's letter on saving the Jewish Relief Unit, which appeared in THE JEWISH CHRONICLE of October 17, was read by the Chairman.

Mr. A. Rose, of the Association of Jewish Ex-Servicemen, said that it was a really shocking thing that the important job of work to be done was faced with such dreadful local apathy.

Mr. D. Rothenberg, outlining the scheme that was formulated by the Association of Jewish Ex-Servicemen in conjunction with the Central British Fund, said the idea was that a person should take a weekly collecting card and get six others to do the same.

Only £35,000

Mr. C. Kapralik, of the C.B.F., said that since Rosh Hashana, no more than £35,000 had been subscribed, representing 5,200 individual contributions. This was negligible in view of the annual requirements of the C.B.F., which needed £90,000 to satisfy the minimum demands of the Jewish Relief Unit, £100,000 for the special care of the 700 orphans in their charge, and £60,000 for the 1,800 refugees here. These were only three of the items in the budget of the C.B.F.

Mrs. G. Howard said that the Fund could spend on medical supplies and drugs alone, so great was the need, the total of the money at their disposal for the whole range of relief work throughout Germany.

Mr. A. Sheinfeld said that the scheme seemed to be all right for the community's youth, but was it not a little too much that the adult section be asked to hawk around cards?

The Chairman declared that synagogue ladies' guilds and similar organisations should be asked to help.

Mr. M. Sharpe, Secretary of the Hammersmith Synagogue, said that he thought the whole method of approach to the Jews of Hammersmith and district had been wrong. Fresh endeavours on more personal lines would bring better results.

SUNDAY'S REMEMBRANCE PARADE

The parade of Jewish ex-Service men and women, to be held on Sunday at 2.30 p.m. at the Horse Guards Parade Ground, Whitehall, will be the first since 1939.

It is hoped it will be a large parade, for it will represent 62,000 Jewish men and women (13,000 in the R.A.F.), who were in the British Forces in the recent war (besides those who served in the 1914-18 war). This figure does not include the many thousands in the Dominion contingents.

The service will be conducted by the Deputy for the Chief Rabbi, Dayan H. M. Lazarus, and Rabbi I. Brodie, Senior Jewish Chaplain, and the singing will be accompanied by the band of the Scots Guards, who will afterwards lead the procession to the Cenotaph.

The service will be broadcast by the B.B.C.

Field-Marshal Lord Alanbrooke will inspect the parade and take the salute at the march-past. The wreath party will include two V.C.s, Mr. Jack White and Mr. Thomas Gould.

In the contingents from the Provinces, 500 are expected from Leeds, and 400 from Manchester. Glasgow will send a good representation, which will be led by the famous pipe band of the Glasgow Jewish Lads' Brigade.

At the tea to be held later at the Lyceum Theatre, the speakers will include Mr. Chuter Ede, M.P., Home Secretary, Sir D. Maxwell Fyfe, K.C., M.P., and Mr. Clement Davies, K.C., M.P.

SURGERY AS LIFE-SAVER

[*By a* JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*]

The progress of surgery, and the part it had played in the lengthening of life, was the theme of the presidential address of Mr. S. I. Levy, F.R.C.S., to the members of the University of London Jewish Union Society on Sunday evening at the Rose Hertz Hall.

Mr. Levy said that without surgery there would be 75,000 deaths a year from appendicitis; without surgery the 50,000 annual deaths from cancer would rise to 300,000.

Surgery had gone from triumph to triumph, Mr. Levy declared, but now it seemed that the field would diminish. Certain drugs were already eliminating surgery and the elucidation of further discoveries in this direction was awaited.

A PROFIT of over £1,600 was made at the All-Star Concert held last week at the Saville Theatre in aid of the North-West London Jewish Day School, and organised by Mrs. N. Lewin, Hendon.

CHIEF RABBINATE CONFERENCE

First Committee Appointed

[*By a* JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*]

The conference convened by the United Synagogue, and held at Woburn House on Sunday, in connection with the appointment of a new Chief Rabbi, was attended by 123 delegates. (Of these, 44 represented the United Synagogue Executive, 10 the Federation of Synagogues, 8 the Dominions, and 61 the Provinces.) The President of the Council of the United Synagogue, Sir Robert Waley Cohen, presided.

Sir Robert said that a good deal of public discussion had taken place on this matter. The Constitution of the United Synagogue provided that, by an Act of Parliament, the United Synagogue was required to contribute to the maintenance of a Chief Rabbi, and it was also required—and if it were not required, it would certainly desire to do it—to confer with all those who had joined with them in contributing to the maintenance of his office, however little they had been able to contribute. Therefore, they were more than glad to have the opportunity of that conference.

Ultimate Responsibility

The conference could not relieve the Council of the United Synagogue of the ultimate responsibility and duty of considering and reaching its decisions with regard to the appointment of a Chief Rabbi in the light of the advice that they hoped would emerge from that very representative body or the committees which it might appoint. The United Synagogue always had been most anxious that the Chief Rabbi should be a man acceptable to, and indeed welcome to, as wide a body of the traditional Jewish Communities in the British Empire as possible.

Some of those whose opinion they felt they would like to have in this matter were not entitled by their constitution to be represented at that conference, and therefore, they took the step of inviting into personal conference with them representative men from all sections of Orthodox Jewry in the hope that they might all agree upon a man whose appointment as Chief Rabbi would, in the view of all of them, be welcome to the whole community. That, unfortunately, was not achieved in those conversations.

Qualifications Required

The qualities and qualifications required of the Chief Rabbi were, of course, of a very high order. A man with all the qualities needed was not by any means easy to find, and at their first informal meeting of representative men the 20 or so who met them were asked to put forward the name of any man who any one of them felt should be considered for the position. A sub-committee was appointed to consider all those names and they succeeded eventually, by a process of careful consideration of all the dozen or so names that had been mentioned, in unanimously eliminating all but three. Beyond that they were unable to reach unanimity.

The time had now come when the delay should not be further prolonged.

He would like to say a word about voting powers and rights. In a conference of that kind, it did not seem to him desirable that they should think too much about voting powers.

On the proposition of Mr. Frank Samuel, Vice-President of the Council of the United Synagogue, it was decided that the President of the United Synagogue should preside at the meetings of the conference of delegates and its committees and that in his absence one of the two Vice-Presidents of the United Synagogue shall preside.

On the proposition of the Chairman, the conference decided that Mr. Alfred H. Silverman, Secretary of the United Synagogue, should act as secretary of the conference.

The Chairman moved the appointment of a committee to consider

(a) The duties, privileges, and conditions attaching to the Office of Chief Rabbi.

(b) The emoluments of the Chief Rabbi and of his Office.

(c) The sources from which, and the terms on which, such emoluments shall be derived.

(d) The relationship with the Chief Rabbinate of the Congregations supporting his Office.

Consultative Council

The "duties, privileges, and conditions attaching to the Office of Chief Rabbi," said Sir Robert, included, he imagined, the question of a Consultative Council. The suggestion that had been made at an early date was that there should be a body with whom the Chief Rabbi should have the right to consult. That was one of the matters that would fall for consideration by this committee, if appointed.

Speaking on (b), (c), and (d), the Chairman said he thought it would be desirable if, before they proceeded to appoint the committee, they considered what its numbers should be. Those who had given a good deal of consideration to the matter were proposing to suggest that it should consist of 19 members: one to represent the Dominions; one each for Glasgow, Leeds, Manchester, Birmingham, Liverpool, and Cardiff; two for the Federation of Synagogues; and 10 for the United Synagogue.

Sir Robert thereupon moved that a committee of 19 be appointed.

A lengthy discussion followed.

Mr. Margolis (Walthamstow) said he felt that two seats for the Federation of Synagogues was insufficient, having regard to the Federation's importance to Jewish life in the Metropolis.

Federation's Standpoint

The Acting President of the Federation of Synagogues, Mr. M. J. Turner, principal spokesman for the Federation, said they had accepted the invitation to attend that conference notwithstanding the fact that they originally requested that their whole Executive should be represented at it. They did so because they felt that the issues involved were so crucial to the future of Anglo-Jewry that they deemed it their duty to compromise on their openly avowed policy and attend in order to state their case.

The United Synagogue, he continued, had argued, in order to defend the *status quo*, first, that they had, to date, borne the main financial burden in maintaining the Office of the Chief Rabbi; secondly, that they were committed to the maintenance of that Office by virtue of an Act of Parliament that tied them irrevocably to that great responsibility; and thirdly, that grants that might be voted by synagogue

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GENERAL ZIONIST NATIONAL CONFERENCE

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15, at 7.30 p.m.
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16, at 9.30 a.m.
at
Beaver Hall, Great Trinity Lane, London, E.C.4

AGENDA

JUDGE LOUIS LEVENTHAL, Adviser on Jewish Affairs to General Macnarney, will, if Army engagements permit, fly from Berlin in order to address the Conference.

Saturday Evening Session

In the Chair: Professor SELIG BRODETSKY
7.30. Opening Address by the Chairman.
7.45. Mr. ISAAC KUBOWITZKI, Managing Director of the Constructive Enterprises Fund (General Zionist Foundation) Limited, on "General Zionism and the Jewish State."
8.05. Mrs. REBECCA SIEFF, who has just returned from America, on "General Zionism in the Political Arena."
8.20. The General Debate will be opened by the Rev. J. K. GOLDBLOOM, recently returned from Palestine, and Miss HANNAH STEIN, who has been to Palestine and Europe on General Zionist Missions.
10.20. The Rev. A. S. SUPER, Vice-President of the Zionist Federation, will reply to the Debate.

Sunday Morning Session

In the Chair: Mr. BARNETT JANNER, M.P.
9.30. Addresses of Greeting from representatives of French, Belgian, and Rumanian General Zionists.
9.50. Dr. JOSEPH SAGALL, who will have returned from Palestine on the previous day, will speak on "Palestine Now."
10.0. Mr. MARK LABOVITCH will open the General Debate.
11.45. Mr. NORMAN M. JACOBS will reply to the Debate.

The public proceedings of the Conference will close on Sunday at 12.30 p.m., and, after luncheon at the Anglo-Palestinian Club, it will meet in private session for delegates only, by kind permission of the Club's General Committee.

Luncheon will be served for Delegates only at the Anglo-Palestinian Club, Great Windmill Street, Piccadilly, London, W.1, from 12.30 to 2 o'clock. Luncheon tickets must be obtained at the book-stall at the Conference on Saturday night.

A few visitors' tickets may be obtainable at the door on personal application.

The Rev. A. Baum, M.A., F.R.S.A., Secretary, General Zionist Administrative Committee, Zionist Federation of Great Britain and Ireland, 75, Great Russell Street, London, W.C.1

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A CATHOLIC ON THE JEWS

"Two Persecuted Peoples"

[*By a* JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*]

The Jewish problem and the Palestine problem, from the standpoint of a Catholic, were discussed by Mr. Arnold Lunn, when he spoke on "Ourselves and the Jews" at a meeting held at "The Grail," 58, Sloane Street, London, on Wednesday of last week. Dr. Walter Zander presided.

Dealing with the relations between Jews and Christians, Mr. Lunn said that Catholics tended to forget the horrors wreaked upon Jews by the Spanish Inquisition, from which, incidentally, Hitler and Goebbels had obtained many of their ideas. When Jews got to the top, as they had done under the Lenin régime in Russia, it was not surprising if they "took it out of" those who had persecuted their race in former times. At the present time, added Mr. Lunn, the Jews were not in any great position of national authority in Russia.

Jewish-Catholic Relations

No headway could be made in the task of improving relations between Jews and Catholics until both learned to appreciate each other's problems and difficulties. Catholics felt that whereas the Pope and many leading Catholics had come out strongly against anti-Semitism, when Catholics were being persecuted in Mexico, or Spain, or Russia, most of the Jews—and, to be fair, most of the Protestants—in this country found excuses for the persecutors. It was always easy to make out a case against any body of men, the Jews in Germany, or the Catholics in Spain, if an excuse for persecution was wanted. We should never see the end of this bad business unless Catholics protested when Jews were persecuted, and *vice versa*.

Palestine, said Mr. Lunn, had been conquered by the British from the Turks. Therefore, Britain had a right to declare that a sixteenth of the area she had redeemed at the cost of much British blood should go to form a Jewish State. Six independent Arab States had come into existence as the result of that British conquest, in places where previously Arabs had been under Turkish dominion. Why was it so absurd to suggest that one Jewish State should also be created?

Like Going Home

To the Jew, the return to Palestine was like going home. That was a fundamental, indisputable fact. If the English were turned out of England, they would wish to return to England and not to some remote Pacific island. The Jews wished to return to their homeland, Palestine, and not to any other place, such as Madagascar.

Mr. Lunn admitted that most British officials in Palestine were pro-Arab, very few pro-Jew. The reason for the antipathy of the British official was easy to find. Officialdom liked the *status quo*, as personified in the continuance of the haphazardly nomadic habits of the Arabs. The dynamic energy of the Jews, with their constant striving for progress, upset the British official mentality.

Let Catholics not forget, went on Mr. Lunn, that Mohammedanism was still a persecuting religion. The Moslems were preparing their plans for anti-Christian legislation.

There could be nothing more catastrophic than that the British Government should persist in their policy of scuttle in Palestine, leaving Arabs and Jews to cut each other's throats. He thought that Britain should define the area intended for a Jewish State and be prepared to defend it. It would be perfectly intolerable if the Holy Land became the scene of a bloody civil war because of Britain's defection from her clear duty.

Anti-Semitism and anti-Catholicism had a great deal in common, continued Mr. Lunn. The "Protocols of the Elders of Zion" were a test case in the field of anti-Semitism. The Protocols were an impudent fake. Not a single genuine scholar, no matter what his views, would give five minutes' consideration to the farrago of rubbish they contained. Father Coughlin, by his virulent anti-Semitic ravings, had done a tremendous amount of harm to the Catholic Church in America.

Roots of Catholic Faith

Catholics should ever remember, said Mr. Lunn in conclusion, that their faith had its roots in Palestine and in the Hebrew Scriptures, and that it was their bounden duty always to stand up unashamedly for the preservation of the human decencies. That meant that they must never countenance the persecution of Jews, or, indeed, of any other race or faith. For Catholics themselves were among the persecuted peoples of the world.

Incidentally . . .

SONCINO TALMUD

It is good to learn that the Soncino Press is resuming the publication of its English edition of the Babylonian Talmud, which was interrupted by the bitter years of the war. Next month, the Seder Tohoroth will be published in two volumes; two further volumes, Seder Zeraim, are to follow in April; and the final six volumes, Seder Kodoshim, are to appear in September next. I have had the privilege of seeing an advance copy of Volume I. of Tohoroth, and I was very much touched by the dedication, which is in memory of "The six million Jews who were brutally murdered by the Nazis." Scholars are agreed that the Soncino Talmud is a real and valuable contribution not only towards Jewish learning, but also towards the understanding of Jewish life and Jewish ideals. The long-waited Soncino Chumash, by the way, will also be published next month.

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FURS FOR ROYALTY

The choice of the Jewish firm of Calman Links to make the Newfoundland Government's wedding gift of a mink jacket to Princess Elizabeth will be regarded with especial interest by the community. Mr. "Joe" Links, the present head of the 50-year-old wholesale manufacturing firm, who visited Buckingham Palace last week to fit the garment, told me that the pelts used were from the Eskimo Bay district of Canada and were selected by the Hudson's Bay Company. These comparatively rare skins, universally acknowledged as the most beautiful of their type, can only be procured from that company. Mr. Links is an Old Millhillian.

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This is not the first time that Jews have been concerned with providing furs for important British Royal events. A Jewish firm of skin merchants, Meyer Loshak and Son, Ltd., supplied the several hundred white Russian ermine skins for King George VI's Coronation robe. The furriers entrusted with the task of making the robe sent for Meyer Loshak's representative and told him that as they placed implicit reliance on his firm, they did not propose to ask any other merchants to tender for the considerable order. Meyer Loshak, who was then an ailing man, died a few days after the Coronation, but before his death he had the satisfaction of knowing that the confidence placed in his firm had been fully justified.

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WOMAN FOREIGN MINISTER

Mrs. Anna Pauker, the new Rumanian Foreign Minister, is the first woman ever to hold that office. Fifty-three-year-old daughter of a Rabbi (her father was Rabbi Rabinsohn, of Bucharest), she has had an adventurous career. For ten years from 1934 she was an underground worker for the outlawed Communist Party, and from 1936 she served five years of a sentence of ten years' imprisonment; her son was born in gaol. Later, she went to Moscow, became Stalin's adviser of Rumanian affairs, and returned with the Red Army in 1944. Mrs. Pauker is said to be the only member of the Communist Party who can, whenever she chooses, call Marshal Stalin by telephone.

RABBI'S NEW APPOINTMENT

Rabbi Dr. R. Brasch, whose appointment as Rabbi of the Springs and District Reform Congregation is reported elsewhere in this issue, tells me that his new appointment promises to be a great adventure. Africa means a lot to him: all his family are South Africans, and take a very active part in the religious life of the Union (his cousin, Victor Brasch, being the Hon. Secretary to the South African Union for Progressive Judaism; and his father was one of the pioneers of Johannesburg).

Before coming to London, Rabbi Brasch studied at Berlin and Wuerzburg Universities and at the "Hochshule." He was a special Talmud pupil of Judah Bergman, of Jerusalem, and Chanoch Albeck. In 1936, he obtained the degree of Doctor of Philosophy, and, in 1938, the Rabbinical Diploma and "Hattarat Horaah." He is a member of the Governing Body of the World Union for Progressive Judaism. He is 35.

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WOMAN PEERS PETITION

Among the many signatories, headed by Cardinal Griffin, to a letter to THE TIMES last week, drawing attention to a petition being organised to appeal to the House of Lords to admit woman peers on the same terms as men, were two Jewish lawyers well-known communally: Mr. Bertram B. Benas, of Liverpool; and Mr. Edward F. Iwi, of London. Mr. Iwi is the author and honorary organiser of the petition, which is directed towards the ending of what its supporters consider an injustice and an anomaly. The petition has secured a good deal of mention in the Press not simply because of its intrinsic interest, but also because its organiser showed unusual knowledge of the legal procedure concerning such matters—under a statute of the Long Parliament in 1661 it is necessary in such a petition to obtain the consent of three magistrates for its organising, and that consent was duly obtained at the Middlesex Quarter Sessions.

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JEWISH PIPERS

A picturesque touch will be added to next Sunday's ceremony at the Horse Guards Parade by the presence of the only Jewish pipe band in the world—that of the Glasgow Company of the Jewish Lads' Brigade, a cadet unit attached to the 7th Battalion Cameronians. The band, which will head the contingent of Glasgow Jewish ex-Servicemen, came into existence shortly after the end of the First World War. Before 1939, the Glasgow unit usually held its annual camp in England or Wales, and the Jewish pipers were always a great source of attraction wherever they went.

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HAT TRICK

All good things, they say, go in threes. Such must at least be the opinion of Mr. Nathan Scheff, of Blackpool, whose over 40 years of communal work for that community has been rewarded by the conferring on him of the Hon. Life-Presidentship of the Blackpool United Hebrew Congregation, the Blackpool Men's Zionist Society, and the Jewish Social Club and Youth Centre. Proof of Mr. Scheff's benevolence towards the rising generation was given when the honour of Kol Hanorim was conferred on him on Simchat Torah, and he had inscribed on a Golden Book certificate the names of all the children gathered beneath his talit.

CHRONICLER.

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Social and Personal

DAYAN H. M. LAZARUS, Deputy for the Chief Rabbi, was among those present on Monday at the opening of the London Education Exhibition by the Earl of Athlone, K.G., at the County Hall.

A daughter (Andrea Heather) was born on Tuesday, November 4, 1947, at the Maxwell Nursing Home, Edgware, to Moya (née Franks), wife of Arthur S. BERG, of 29, Ashcombe Gardens, Edgware.

A daughter (Barbara Gillian) was born on November 7, 1947, at the Bearsted Memorial Hospital, Lordship Road, London, N.16, to Rebecca (Becky) Berman (née Lichstein), wife of Morris (Morrie) BERMAN, of 62, Headley Drive, Ilford, Essex.

A daughter (Janet Vivienne) was born on November 5, 1947, at 27, Welbeck Street, W.1, to Sadie (née Solomon), wife of Morris BLACKMAN, of 5, Stamford Lodge, Amhurst Park, London, N.16.

A son (Brian Joshua) was born on November 3, 1947, at the Mowbray Nursing Home, Mowbray Road, N.W.6, to Fay (née Fishberg), wife of Harry CHALFEN, of 27, Phillimore Gardens, Willesden, N.W.10.

A son (Raymond Brian) was born on November 4, 1947, at Westminster Hospital, to Anita (née Michaels), wife of Montague S. CURTIS, of 27, Jesmond Way, Stanmore, Middlesex.

A daughter was born on Thursday, November 6, 1947, to Anne (née Steinhart), wife of Zvi (Harry) FLEISHER, of Haifa, Palestine.

A son (Ian David) was born on Friday, November 7, 1947, at Glenside Nursing Home, St. Annes Road, Prestwich, Lancs, to Ruth (née Hytner), wife of Jan KELLER, of "Holmleigh," Waterpark Road, Broughton Park, Salford, 7, Lancs.

A daughter (Janice Rochelle) was born on Tuesday, November 11, 1947, at Medina Nursing Home, 34, Medina Villas, to Sonia (née Skitton), wife of Harold LAURIER, of 316, Larks Hall Road, Chingford, Essex.

A daughter was born on November 10, 1947, at Westminster Hospital, to Rita (née Lipton), wife of Robert C. S. LEVY.

A son (Philip Warner Barry), their second, was born on Tuesday, November 4, 1947, at the Mount Maternity Home, London Road, Luton, to Adele (née Isenberg), wife of David MANDEL, of 278, Old Bedford Road, Luton, Beds.

A son (Michael Graham) was born on November 8, 1947, at City of London Maternity Hospital, Liverpool Road, N.1, to Teresa Melbourne (née Bluestone), wife of Samuel J. MELBOURNE, of 73, Kenilworth Road, Edgware, Middlesex.

A daughter (Adèle Claire) was born on November 10, 1947, at 27, Welbeck Street, W.1, to Jeanette (née Greenstone), wife of Alan G. RUBENSTEIN.

A son (Malcolm Adrian) was born on October 31, 1947, at the Townend Maternity Home, Hull, to Gertrude (née Green), wife of H. TAYLOR, of 168, Spring Gardens, Anlaby Common, Hull.

BARMITZVAH

Alan Peter, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander BEARMAN, of 82, Forburg Road, Clapton Common, N.16, will read Maftir and Haftara at Stamford Hill Beth Hamedrash, Lampard Grove, N.16, on Saturday, November 22, 1947.

Selwyn (שלמה יצחק), only son of Mr. and Mrs. L. HASS, of 2, Ashgrove Terrace, Gateshead-on-Tyne, will read מפטיר and הפטורה (פ' וישב) at the Bewick Road Synagogue on November 22, 1947. Kiddush will be held after the service. There will be an "At Home" on Saturday, November 22, from 2 to 5 p.m., and Sunday, November 23, from 3 to 7 p.m. Individual invitations to relatives and friends are not being issued.

Wallace, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. A. SHORTS, of 10, St. James Mansions, West End Lane, N.W.6, will read a portion of the Law at the Hampstead Synagogue, Dennington Park Road, N.W.6, on Saturday, November 15, 1947.

CALENDAR AND DIARY

Kislev 30 days

Friday, Nov. 14, to Friday, Nov. 21
(Kislev 1 to Kislev 8)

Friday (Kislev 1), November 14. Second Day Rosh Chodesh Kislev. Sabbath begins at 3.30.

Saturday (Kislev 2), November 15.
Portion of the Law (Torah) תולדת
Genesis xxv. 19 to xxviii. 9.
Portion of Prophets (Haftara), Malachi i. 1 to ii. 7.
Sabbath ends (in London) at 4.55.

Friday (Kislev 8), November 21.
Sabbath begins at 3.30.

BIBLE READERS' UNION

Saturday, November 15.. Psalm 23
Week ending Nov. 22 .. Psalms 24-30

Particulars can be obtained from the Bible Readers' Union, Woburn House, Upper Woburn Place, London, W.C.1.

Montague, only son of Mr. and Mrs. I. SAMUELS, of 69, Stanley Road, Salford, 7, will read a portion of the Law at the Higher Crumpsall Hebrew Congregation on Saturday, November 15, 1947.

FORTHCOMING MARRIAGES

MR. L. BATSMAN AND MISS R. COHEN

The engagement is announced of Leonard, second son of Mrs. L. Hamberger, of 16, Shellgrove Road, London, N.16, and the late Mr. Batsman, to Rosalie, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Cohen, of 28, Alkham Road, London, N.16.

MR. M. BERGER AND MISS A. ENGEL

The engagement is announced of Mr. Max Berger, of 23, Western Avenue, N.W.11, eldest son of Mrs. S. Berger and the late Mr. I. G. Berger, to Miss Auguste (Gucky) Engel, of 36, Pelham Court, S.W.3, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Engel, of Paris.

MR. M. J. CANTER AND MISS S. EPSTEIN

The engagement is announced of Myer Julius Canter, LL.B., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Canter, of 40, Edge Lane, Liverpool, to Stella, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Epstein, of 86, Grange Road, Southport.

MR. H. COHEN AND MISS P. BAKER

The engagement is announced of Hyman (Twink), son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Cohen, of 59, Crescent Road, Manchester, 8, to Pearl, daughter of Mr. M. Baker and the late Mrs. Baker, of 2, Hardman Avenue, Prestwich.

MR. L. COHEN AND MISS H. LEWIS

The engagement is announced of Leslie, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Cohen, of 40, West Bank, N.16, to Hetty, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. M. Lewis, of 32, Fairholt Road, N.16.

MR. J. COLE AND MISS M. HERTZ

The engagement is announced of Jack, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cole, of 197, Newport Road, Cardiff (formerly London), to Muriel, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hertz, of 78, The Drive, Brent, N.W.11.

MR. L. DAVIS AND MISS F. LEWIS

The engagement is announced of Leslie, second son of Mrs. P. Davis and the late Mr. Davis, of 8, Bank Parade, Edgware, and Westcliff, to Freda, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Lewis, of "Elmhurst," Highview Gardens, Finchley, N.3.

MR. E. R. FIELDING AND MISS S. COHEN

The engagement is announced of Eric Fielding, only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Feldman, of 1, Sonia Gardens, Neasden, N.W.2, to Stella, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Cohen, of 124, Chatsworth Road, Willesden Green, N.W.2.

MR. V. FREIBERGER AND MISS I. TURNER

The engagement is announced of Vivian Hammel, only son of Mrs. M. Freiberger and the late Mr. I. Freiberger, L.D.S., R.C.S.(Eng.), of 2, Garrick Avenue, N.W.11, to Irene, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Turner, of 17, Russell Gardens, N.W.11. An "At Home" will be held from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Sunday, November 30, 1947, at 17, Russell Gardens.

MR. H. GILBERT AND MISS M. DEVON

The engagement is announced of Harry Gilbert, of 27, Brampton Grove, Wembley Park, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goldberg, of Thornliebank, Glasgow, to Mavis, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Devon, of 114, Preston Road, Wembley Park.

MR. G. GOLDBERG AND MISS D. COHEN

The engagement is announced of Gerald, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goldberg, of 98, Mowbray Road, Edgware, Middlesex, to Denise, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Cohen, of 84, Brook Avenue, Edgware, Middlesex.

DR. JACK GOULD AND MISS J. KALINA

The engagement is announced of Jack Gould, M.B., Ch.B., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Gould, of 245, Mathen Avenue, Liverpool, 18, to June, eldest daughter of Mrs. Golda Kalina and the late Mr. Harry Kalina, of 153, Watling Street Road, Fulwood, Preston, Lancs.

NOTABLE DAYS IN 5708 (1947-8)

5708			1947	
Tishri	1	New Year, 1st day	Mon. Sept.	15
,,	2	,, ,, 2nd day	Tues. ,,	16
,,	3	Fast of Gedeliah	Wed. ,,	17
,,	10	Day of Atonement	Wed. ,,	24
,,	15	Tabernacles, 1st day	Mon. ,,	29
,,	16	,, 2nd day	Tues. ,,	30
,,	21	Hashana Rabba	Sun. Oct.	5
,,	22	Shemini Atseret	Mon. ,,	6
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Kislev	25	Chanucah	Mon. Dec.	8
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Nisan	15	Passover, 1st day	Sat. April	24
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Sivan	6	Pentecost, 1st day	Sun. June	13
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Tammuz	18	Fast of Tammuz	Sun. July	25
Av.	10	Fast of Av	Sun. Aug.	15

Rashe Chadashim.—*Marcheshvan, Wednesday, October 15. *Kislev, Friday, November 14. *Tebet, Sunday, December 14. Shevat, Monday January 12. * I Adar, Wednesday, February 11. *II Adar, Friday, March 12. Nisan, Saturday, April 10. *Iyar, Monday, May 10. Sivan, Tuesday, June 8. *Tammuz, Thursday, July 8. Av, Friday, August 6. *Ellul, Sunday, September 5.

* The previous day also is observed as Rosh Chodesh.

MR. F. HAMER AND MISS S. P. DA COSTA

The engagement is announced of Frederick (Freddy), elder son of Mrs. Olga Hamer and the late Mr. Woolf Hamer, of 3, Arden Road, N.3, to Sheila Penelope, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. da Costa, of "The Nook," 27, Lydford Road, N.W.2.

MR. B. JACOBS AND MISS F. LAZARUS

The engagement is announced of Bernard, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Jacobs, of 40, Horsham Avenue, Friern Barnet, N.12, to Freda, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Lazarus, of 19, Foscote Road, Hendon, N.W.4.

MR. A. LEON AND MISS L. COHEN

The engagement is announced of Albert (Anch) Leon, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Leibovich, of 107, Cavendish Road, Salford, 7, to Lilly, only daughter of Mrs. Cohen and the late Mr. L. Cohen, of 35, Esmond Road, Cheetham, Manchester.

MR. L. LINDER AND MISS V. WINOGRAD

The engagement is announced of Leslie Linder, B.A., son of Mrs. Ann Linder and the late Hyman Linder, of 36, Orchard Court, Portman Square, London, W.1, and of Durban, South Africa, to Valerie Monique, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Winograd, of 19, Cumberland Court, London, W.1.

MR. E. LUCK AND MISS L. KREMNER

The engagement is announced of Emmanuel Luck, of 199, West End Lane, Hampstead, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ross, to Lorna Kremner, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kessler, of 38, Stanley Road, Broughton Park, Salford, 7. No festivities are being held in consequence of bereavement.

MR. H. MANDELSTAM AND MISS D. ROBIN

The engagement is announced of Harry L. younger son of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Mandelstam, of "Gwyder Lodge," 228, Nithsdale Road, Pollokshields, Glasgow, to Doreen, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rosin, of "Newark House," 18, Newark Drive, Pollokshields, Glasgow.

MR. J. MARKS AND MISS P. LAVINE

The engagement is announced of Jack, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Marks, of 38, Meadowbank Road, Hull, to Phyllis, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lavine, of 40, Beverley Road, Hull.

MR. M. R. MARKS AND MISS R. COHEN

The engagement is announced of Merton Raoul, only son of Mrs. Marks and the late Mr. Nathan Marks, of "Moorwinstow," Broughton Park, Salford, 7, Lancs., to Rose Elaine, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Cohen, of "Zareba," 57, Waterpark Road, Broughton Park, Salford, 7, Lancs. There will be no festivities.

MR. S. MARSHALL AND MISS F. MARTELL

The engagement is announced of Sidney, only son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Marshall, of 4, Henson Avenue, N.W.2, to Frances, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Martell, of 25, Menelik Road, N.W.2.

MR. A. D. MICHAEL AND MISS MILSTONE

The engagement is announced of Anthony (Tony), son of Mr. G. Michael and the late Mrs. L. Michael, of 43, Nevilles Court, Dollis Hill Lane, N.W.2, to Regina (Reggie), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Milstone, of 82, Anson Road, London, N.W.2.

MR. G. MILLER AND MISS D. L. COOPER

The engagement is announced of Gerald (Gerry), elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Miller, of 49, Bilton Road, Perivale, Middlesex, to Doreen Lila, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Montague Cooper (Cooperman), of 23, Beechcroft Avenue, Golders Green, N.W.11.

MR. A. MORRIS AND MISS D. SAMUEL

The engagement is announced of Arnold, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Morris, of 241b, Minchead Court, Alexandra Avenue, South Harrow, Middlesex, to Doris (Dora), elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Samuel, of 514, Uxbridge Road, Hatch End, Middlesex.

MR. A. NORDEN AND MISS S. GREENFIELD

The engagement is announced of Alan, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Norden, of 9, West Heath Court, Golders Green, N.W.11, to Sheila, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Greenfield, of 66, Park Avenue, Willesden, N.W.10.

MR. H. OPPEL AND MISS H. B. GRUNTHAL

The engagement is announced of Harold, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. B. Oppel, of 261, Cottingham Road, Hull, to Helen Bloom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Grunthal, of 13, Orchard Road, Linthorpe, Middlesbrough.

MR. H. RAPHAEL AND MISS A. ADLER

The engagement is announced of Herbert, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Raphael, of 21, Clifton Drive, Gatley, Manchester, to Anne, younger daughter of Mrs. F. Adler and the late Mr. Myer Adler, of 143, Heywood Street, Manchester, 8.

MR. L. ROSENBLATT AND MISS B. LEVEY

The engagement is announced of Louis, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Rosenblatt, of 36, The Vineries, Liverpool, to Barbara, younger daughter of Mr. I. Levey and the late Mrs. E. Levey, of 41, Menlove Avenue, Liverpool. There will be a reception from 3 to 6 p.m. on Sunday, November 23, 1947, in the Greenbank Drive Synagogue Hall, Liverpool. Individual invitations are not being issued.

MR. G. ROME AND MISS B. MOSCOW

The engagement is announced of Gerald, only son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Rome, of 58, Gunnersbury Court, W.3, to Bettie, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Moscow, of 24, Meynell Road, E.9.

MR. M. STEINBERGER AND MISS M. KUGELMANN

The engagement is announced of Martin Steinberger, of 2, Woodchurch Road, N.W.6, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Rabenstein, to Miriam Kugelmann, only daughter of Mrs. R. Kugelmann, of 11, Corringham Court, N.W.11. An "At Home" will be held at 93, Cholmley Gardens, N.W.6, on November 23, 1947, from 3 to 6 p.m.

MR. S. S. WAYNE AND MISS H. SCHRYBER

The engagement is announced of Sidney Shalom Wayne, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Isidore Wolfowitz, of 10, Summit Drive, Woodford Green, Essex, to Hilda, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Schryber, of 31, Hodford Road, Golders Green, N.W.11, and of Bristol.

MR. C. A. COBURN AND MISS P. JACOBS

The marriage will be solemnised on Sunday, November 16, 1947, at 1.30 p.m., at Dollis Hill Synagogue, London, N.W.2, of Cyril, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Coburn, of 11, Meredith Avenue, Cricklewood, N.W.2, to Phyllis, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Jacobs, of 7, Park View Road, Neasden, N.W.10.

MR. ARTHUR FINK AND MISS A. FINK

The marriage of Arthur, second son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Fink, of Montreal, to Adele, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Max Fink (of Kersal, Manchester), will be solemnised on Thursday, November 20, 1947, in Montreal, Canada.—5,228, Jeanne Mance, Outremont, Montreal.

MARRIAGES

DR. B. FINCH AND MISS P. FELDMAN

The marriage was solemnised on Tuesday, November 4, 1947, at Golders Green Synagogue, at 2 p.m., of Bernard Finch, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Fink, to Patricia, daughter of the late W. M. Feldman, M.D., F.R.C.P., and the late Hilda Feldman.

SILVER WEDDINGS

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. BAKER will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary on Sunday, November 23, 1947. An "At Home" will be held from 3 to 6 p.m. No individual invitations to relatives and friends are being issued.—26, Gilmour Road, Edinburgh, 9.

The death occurred suddenly on November 8, 1947, of JOSEPH MELLER, O.B.E., in his 86th year. Prayers will be said on Saturday evening, November 15, at 5.15, at 13, First Avenue, Hove (ground floor, side entrance).

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FORTHCOMING EVENTS

LONDON

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15

Y.P.C., North London. Live Musical and Social Evening. 3, Spring Hall, Clapton Common, E.5. 8 p.m.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16

Anglo-Palestinian Club. Club Dinner to Prof. S. Brodetsky. Tickets 10/6. 7.30 p.m.

Dollis Hill Jewish Youth Club. First Annual General Meeting and Elections. 7 p.m.

Willesden Jewish Centre, Heathfield Park, N.W.2. (2 mins. from Willesden Green Station.) Forfeits Quiz v. Riverpark J.Y.C. Quizmaster: Laurie. 8.15 p.m.

Y.P.C. (N.W. Branch). Mr. Sefton Rowson, I.L.B., on "The Aftermath of the Destruction of the Temple." 73, Chatsworth Road, N.W.2. 7.30 p.m. Visitors 2/6.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17

Ben Uri Art Gallery (Studio Group), 14, Portman Street, W.1. 8 p.m. "Parliament of the Arts." Minister for Painting: Fred Uhlman; for Music: Ivry Gitlis; for Literature: Selby Wilkinson; for Theatrical Affairs: Stanley Mills. Mr. Speaker: Kenneth Snowman. Non-Members 1/-.

Ealing Zionist Society and Wizo, 15, Grange Road, W.5. Films and Talk by Dr. Dov Biegun: "Economic Report on Palestine." 8 p.m.

Harmony Club, Marcus Samuel Hall. 8 p.m. "Ignorance is Bliss." Social Table-Tennis. 1/6.

London Jewish Graduates' Association. The Rev. M. Spira, B.A., will lecture on "The Jewish Religion and the Individual." The Council Room, West London Synagogue, 33, Seymour Place, W.1. 8 p.m.

Ohole Shem Society. Shiur Gemara every Monday by Rabbi K. Kahana. Elkah Segal House, 680, Finchley Rd., N.W.11. 8.15 p.m. All welcome.

West London Women's Zionist Society. Annual General Meeting. 49, Grosvenor Square, W.1. 2.30 p.m. Guest Speaker: Mrs. E. Dugdale.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18

Anglo-Palestinian Club. Brains Trust in reverse. Contributors: Betty Gordon, Harry Oldman, Charles Goodman. Arranged by Gershon Paletz. 8 p.m.

Association of Jewish Ex-Servicemen (Hackney), Dance. Synagogue Hall, Brenthouse Road. Members 2/-; Non-Members 2/6. 8 p.m.

Harcourt Social and Literary Club. Annual General Meeting and election of officers and committee. 8 p.m. Annex, 139, Upper Clapton Road, E.5.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19

Association of Jewish Ex-Servicemen, Stamford Hill Branch, Marcus Samuel Hall, Egerton Road, N.16. A Representative from Hackney Trades Council will address the Branch.

Hakenessia (Soc. and Lit. Society), 22, Eton Villas, Eton Rd., N.W.3. Popular Request Brains Trust (Teacher, Lawyer, Doctor, Indian Philosopher, and member of B.B.C. Staff). 8 p.m.

Stoke Newington Communal Centre, The Synagogue, Shacklewell Lane, E.8. The Hon. Ewen Montagu, K.C., on "The Lighter Side of the Law." Chairman: Mr. Frank Samuel. 8 p.m.

Wembley District Synagogue, Forty Avenue. Talmud Shiur Gittin, by Rabbi K. Kahana, M.A., M.Litt. 8 p.m.

Willesden Jewish Centre, Heathfield Park, N.W.2. Hat Debate. Chairman: S. M. Waxman. 8.15 p.m.

Y.P.C. West London. "Jewish Education and Youth." Talk by Dr. Isidore Fishman. 89, Clarence Gate Gdns., Baker St., W.1. 8 p.m.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20

Anglo-Palestinian Club. Viscount St. Davids: "The Fascist Meetings at Dalston." Chairman: Mr. L. J. Hydleman, J.P. 8 p.m.

Y.P.C. Hendon and Golders Green. "Zionism for Others or Ourselves." Symposium with F.Z.Y. at 17, Wykeham Rd., Hendon Central. 8 p.m. prompt.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23

Golders Green Memorial Forest Committee. Memorial Meeting in memory of the six million martyred Jews. Golders Green Hippodrome. 11 a.m. Speakers: Sir Hugh Lucas-Tooth, M.P.; Mr. S. S. Silverman, M.P.; Mr. Louis Golding; the Rev. B. Cherrick, M.A.; and the Rev. I. Livingstone. Chairman: Mr. F. Ashe Lincoln, K.C. All are invited.

Y.P.C. (West London). Second in Series of Musical Recitals. 44, Tite Street, Chelsea, S.W.3. Soloists: Michelle Carte (violin); Jeanne de Leon (soprano); Dr. F. Berend (piano). Admission: Members 5/-; Non-Members 7/6. 8 p.m. prompt.

PROVINCIAL

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16

MANCHESTER

Shechita Board. Special Delegates' Meeting. Vote of Condolence. (The late Rabbis M. Rivkin and M. I. Segal.) 12 noon.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23

MANCHESTER

R. Barrow-Sicree 70th Birthday Testimonial Fund. Reception to Mr. R. Barrow-Sicree at Manchester Assembly Rooms at 3 p.m.

The Wayside Pulpit

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SECURITY CAMPAIGN

Raising Defence Fund

[*From our Own Correspondent*]

JERUSALEM

Plans for a campaign to raise £500,000 for security before the end of the year were outlined at Vaad Leumi's meeting in Jerusalem on Tuesday. There is to be a brief voluntary house curfew during which thousands of collectors will canvass the community.

In the general debate, violent attacks were made on the terrorists, particularly by the Labour representatives, who said that the danger to the establishment and the internal peace of the Jewish State would come from the terrorists, who knew only one language—force.

STERN GANG YOUTHS KILLED

Three girls and two youths were killed, two others wounded, and three more captured when troops and police raided a farmhouse near Herzlia on Wednesday morning. The authorities say that all were caught while receiving arms instruction. It is believed the victims were all members of the Stern Gang.

A store of arms and ammunition was found in the house. Security forces cordoned the area and a search-party went inside. As they came out, a party dashed from the house towards a banana grove and covering forces opened fire, killing two girls and one youth instantly, and one girl and one youth died later. The ages of all were between 16 and 20.

A British sergeant was murdered and three other British policemen wounded while sitting in a Kingsway, Haifa, café on Wednesday morning. Shots were fired from an office building opposite just after a military court in Haifa had sentenced two Jews to 20 years' imprisonment each for carrying arms and explosives. The convicted men belong to the Stern Gang. They are Eliehu Dahan, aged 17, and Haim Echkauser, aged 22. They were caught after a taxi had blown up in Haifa on August 10. Dahan had his hand blown off.

INNOCENT MEN'S HOUSE DEMOLISHED

Although their house was demolished on August 4, two days after the Army had found an arms cache when searching a cellar in Jerusalem, a father and son, the owners of the house, were acquitted on Tuesday by the Jerusalem Military Court of possessing the explosives found. The men, Rabbi Avraham Hamdi, aged 76, and his son, Yehia, aged 35, had pleaded not guilty.

DISPUTE IN CYPRUS

A dispute has arisen in the Cyprus camps following the decision taken some time ago by the refugees to forgo one month's quota in favour of the "Exodus" refugees. The Government refused to accede to that request and decided, instead, to grant a special quota for children and their parents, to be deducted from the usual monthly quota. The refugees, however, claim that they had renounced their turn in favour of the "Exodus" refugees only, but of no other category.

Mrs. Goldie Meyerson, head of the Jerusalem office of the Jewish Agency Political Department, flew to Cyprus in an attempt to straighten out the differences.

REFUGEE VESSELS

Exaggerated Reports?

In connection with certain Press reports emanating from the papers' Jerusalem correspondents concerning the two ships, Pan York and Pan Crescent, which are supposed to have left Constanza for Palestine, it is reported that information was received from Admiralty circles in the Mediterranean area stating that the ships were fenced with barbed wire to prevent naval boardings, were armed even to the extent of carrying torpedoes, and that the refugees were fully determined to resist by force any attempts to intercept and seize them.

It is suspected in Jewish quarters that these stories have been circulated to induce Turkey to refuse the ships permission to enter the Dardanelles under the Montreux Treaty, which imposes a ban on the passage of armed vessels.—(Palcor).

REFUGEES DETAINED

About 200 Jews from Morocco, Tunisia, and Algiers, who were arrested on Thursday of last week while trying to board a cargo vessel at Guyotville, near Algiers, have been transferred to a Hebrew school in Algiers where they are to remain until a decision is taken about their fate.

An equal number had already embarked on the vessel, and sailed before the authorities could prevent it. The vessel was not identified, but is believed to be registered in Italy.—(J.T.A.)

PLAN FOR BRITISH WITHDRAWAL

[*By a Diplomatic Correspondent*]

A plan for the British withdrawal from Palestine is likely to be ready at the end of this week for presentation to the Cabinet. The topic was discussed by the Defence Committee last week, and a Government inter-departmental committee was given instructions to work out a plan.

It is believed that military experts have had the matter under consideration for some time. The plan will probably cover the simultaneous withdrawal of troops and administrative staffs under the co-ordinated direction of the Colonial and War Offices.

It may be that the British statement, which is expected this week, will throw some light on how evacuation is to be carried out, but it is not expected that there will be any change in the present British attitude of non-cooperation.

It is believed in many quarters that the very real dislike of Mr. Bevin and his advisers for the Unscop majority plan is due to their obstinate attachment to the Morrison plan for Palestine, which they still hope to put into effect in the event of partition failing to get the necessary two-thirds majority. They would then ask the Assembly to take note of the following three factors: that the Mandate was being terminated; that Great Britain was withdrawing from Palestine on or by a given date; and that during the withdrawal, preparations would be made to give independence to Palestine, without, however, specifying what form that independence would take.

Superficially, at any rate, these three points meet the Russian demands, but it would mean that the power over Palestine's fate would still be in the hands of those who have shown themselves to be completely hostile to Jewish claims.

The American Scene

NEW "INTOLERANCE" FILM

"Gentlemen's Agreement"

[*From our Correspondent*—NEW YORK]

A new film on the subject of racial and religious intolerance, "Gentlemen's Agreement," produced by 20th Century Fox, was given its preview here on Tuesday. Based on the best-selling novel of the same title by Laura Z. Hobson, this film is likely to arouse even more controversy than did "Crossfire" (described in THE JEWISH CHRONICLE of October 3).

The story relates to a non-Jewish journalist (played by Gregory Peck) assigned to write a series of articles on anti-Semitism. In order to gather material, he decides to pass himself off as a Jew, when he finds that anti-Semitism, in addition to its cruder aspects, includes what is sardonically called a "gentlemen's agreement" on the part of many Gentiles to exercise social discrimination against Jews. Dorothy McGuire plays the part of the journalist's fiancée, who is not strong enough to stand out against the forces of prejudice, and there is a moving performance by one actor as a Jewish Army officer who returns from the war to find that the intolerance against which he has been fighting is still evident at home.

Moss Hart, famous American-Jewish dramatist, wrote the script.

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Leading American Jewish organisations, including the B'nai B'rith and the National Jewish Welfare Board, have pledged their support to President Truman's food conservation programme to ease the European crisis.

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Harold Russell, Academy Award winner for his performance in "The Best Years of our Lives," has been honoured with the B'nai B'rith Women's Award for Humanitarian Service. He has toured Massachusetts, speaking in favour of better racial and religious understanding.

Palestine Movement

HOPES FOR U.N. MAJORITY

Supporters of Partition Optimistic

[*From our Own Correspondent*]

NEW YORK

The great enthusiasm created by the Soviet-American agreement was followed by a more sober appraisal of the situation. Even so, the general opinion at Lake Success is that the understanding has paved the way for an almost certain two-thirds majority in the General Assembly for the adoption of the Unscop majority plan.

I learn from sources close to the American delegation that the U.S.A. representatives feel assured that the so-far silent and "neutral" delegates will cast their votes for partition.

It is also considered that there is hope that the remaining technical problems will be solved before the *ad hoc* committee proceeds with the voting on recommendations for the General Assembly. The precise functions of the United Nations Commission must be established, particularly the nature of the relationship between the Commission and the Security Council.

Everybody agrees that most of the credit for the progress achieved on Monday was due to the patient efforts of the Canadian and Australian delegates.

Avoiding Delay

Dr. Evatt's energetic action was unquestionably responsible for killing any delaying tactics. He has cancelled his trip to London to attend the Royal wedding, and made it clear to the committee members that it is absolutely imperative to find a solution of the Palestine problem during the present session of the Assembly, even if that involves continuous day and evening meetings of the *ad hoc* committee.

In the Social, Humanitarian, and Cultural Committee, a joint Egyptian-Iraqi-Lebanese resolution calling for international co-operation to prevent immigration likely to disturb friendly relations between nations was objected to on behalf of the United States by Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt. She said that since the *ad hoc* committee was studying that and other questions relating to Palestine, its work should not be prejudged by the Social, Humanitarian, and Cultural Committee.

During the past 10 months, 75 parcels of food and clothing have been sent to European camps by the Gladstone Park Women's Zionist Society. All the parcels have been individually acknowledged. Mrs. S. Shapero is in sole charge of this activity and she has appealed for more supplies of clothing.

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UJECO AND THE WORLD EDUCATIONAL UNION

Danger in Russo-American Conflicts

[*From a Correspondent*—PARIS]

The two greatest Powers in the world to-day—the United States and Soviet Russia—are competing for the sympathy and support of the Jewish people. The resulting situation is one fraught with danger for our people.

Throughout Jewish history since the Dispersion the principal centres where Jews have lived and thrived have been constantly changing. After the great Jewish Community in Spain had been driven out, the centre of Jewish life in Europe moved to Italy and France, later through Germany to Poland, and then back through Germany to Holland, France, and England. Under the influence of Western European ideas Jewish life became slowly secularised, and there developed a sharp cleavage between Western and Eastern European Jewry.

The fight between the protagonists of secularisation in Jewish life and the upholders of a purely religious basis for it lasted for nearly a century, and was most bitter in Poland. In that country, a Jew was either Orthodox or he was anti-religious: there was no middle course, for between the old ways and the new there was a life-and-death struggle. A Polish Jewish youth had to choose between remaining immured in his religious environment or becoming completely assimilated by accepting the normal Polish secular education.

Zionism and Orthodoxy

It was the birth of the Zionist Movement that provided a third alternative. It now became possible for a young Jew to remain a Jew, to retain his integrity, to love his people's past, and dream about its future, while still accepting the benefits of a non-Jewish education. At once, Orthodoxy believed that Zionism was a greater danger to the old way of life than assimilation, and there arose in many East European countries an unnatural alliance between the opponents of Jewish national aspirations and the Orthodox Jews. For economic reasons, this strange collaboration finished with the bankruptcy of assimilation; but the rift between Orthodox and Progressive Jewry remained.

During this period of "liberalism," the Jews of the West, for the most part, took the road to assimilation and sought to become an integral part of the nations among which they lived, while, at the same time, trying to maintain their identity with world Jewry. This course was pursued from 1848 till 1918. German Jewry, it appeared, had won civic equality, and their co-religionists in Poland, Russia, and Rumania regarded them with a mixture of pride and envy. But it was not long before the sympathies of European Jewry were transferred to Britain, while the *Alliance* had kept alive the traditional affection of Oriental Jewry for France.

Britain and the Jews

British influence over European Jewry became enduring when Sir Moses Montefiore tried to save the Russian Jews from their fate by intervening with the Tsar. Later, that influence was still further strengthened by the issue of the Balfour Declaration. Up to the end of the recent war it seemed that nothing—not even the White Paper of 1939—could destroy Jewish sympathy for Britain. It has taken the hunting down by British warships of the victims of Hitler's hell-camps to weaken it.

The creation of Ujeco, sponsored largely by the American Jewish Committee and the Joint Distribution Committee, would appear to mark the decline of British influence over European Jewry. American Jewry still works to some extent through British Jewry. Intellectually, America is still insufficiently equipped to assume the leadership among European Jewry, and she tries to take the lead through the instrumentality of Britain and France.

The United States has won Jewish gratitude for its stand on the Palestine question, and also for the help it has extended to the refugees in Germany. But now, the Soviet Union has also entered the competition. Many East European Jews have not forgotten that they are alive to-day only because the Russians gave priority to the evacuation of Jews during the Nazi invasion before even their own troops, equipment, and plant. Nevertheless, the relief work done by the Americans in Europe, coupled with the fact that the Jewish middle-class tends to look to Tel-Aviv and New York rather than to Moscow, may again turn the scales in favour of the United States.

Zionist Fears

For the first time the Palestine question loomed large at the recent Ujeco Conference. The fears of Zionists have been aroused by the presence on the committee of what are regarded as the three leading assimilationist organisations, the American Jewish Committee, the Anglo-Jewish Association, and the Alliance Israélite Universelle. While it is true that none of these opposes Zionism, each of them is considered to have an assimilationist history. For this reason the opinion is gaining ground that it would be highly desirable for Ujeco to join the World Union of Jewish Education in the Diaspora* and thus kill any suspicion of assimilationist tendencies.

The opinion is held in left-wing Jewish circles that Ujeco may develop into a purely American agency and "another imperialist weapon in the ideological warfare between the United States and Russia." It was this belief that led to the refusal to grant permits to delegates from the Slav *bloc* to come to the Conference.

Clear Statement Needed

These difficulties seem to have been present in the mind of Dr. Nathan Morris, who, in his speech to the Conference, stressed the fact that the organisation would not attempt to force on any Jewish Community an ideology or system of education foreign to it.

The majority of European Jews believe that only by a clear statement that the organisation seeks for a purely Jewish education with a positive attitude towards Jewish achievement in Palestine, can they keep out of what seems an inevitable clash between the two social systems and political ideologies that may compete for world domination. And for that purpose membership of the World Union for Jewish Education is thought to be essential.

*The World Union for Jewish Education in the Diaspora is a body set up at the Convention of Hebrew teachers and lay workers for education, called by the Hebrew University and held at Mount Scopus, Jerusalem, from July 29 to August 6, 1947.

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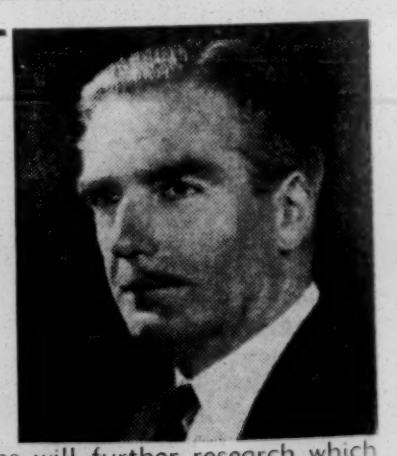

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News from Abroad

POLISH JEWRY'S DILEMMA

Russo-American Hostility

[*From our Correspondent*—WARSAW]

What is generally believed to have been an attempt to drive a wedge between Polish Jewry and the Jews of Western Europe was made by M. Ilya Ehrenburg, noted Russo-Jewish writer and publicist, on the occasion of his visit here with three other Russian writers as guests of the Russo-Polish Friendship Society.

M. Ehrenburg was given a reception by the Central Jewish Committee, in recognition of his work as co-editor of the projected "History of Jewish Martyrology." In addressing his audience, M. Ehrenburg made a sharp attack on American Jewry and the Jews of Western Europe, who, he declared, supported the forces that were preparing another Oswiecim instead of uniting with those (the Russians) who had saved them from such horrors.

Like nearly all the Russian propagandists who have visited Warsaw, Ehrenburg showed himself openly hostile to America and Western Europe. His speeches in this vein were largely attended and enthusiastically received by Poles, both Jewish and non-Jewish. Only his accusation that the Western Jewries were supporting "the dark forces of imperialism" failed to win commendation.

Jewish circles here fear that as the rift between Russia and the West widens there is a growing danger that the Jews of these two areas may be forced into the position of becoming participants in this "cold war."

Gratitude to America

Relations between Polish Jewry and the Jews of Britain, France, and the U.S.A. have in the past always been cordial, and, of course, the Jews of Poland to-day are to a very large extent dependent on assistance from America. They feel deep gratitude to the United States; and they are distressed at being forced to the conclusion that this feeling is by no means acceptable to their powerful neighbour. They see M. Ehrenburg's visit, and other similar visits by Russian speakers, as evidence of a design to bring about an estrangement between Polish Jews and their co-religionists of the West, and also to force them into the position when the Soviets seem to be the only Power that can save them from the possibility of another Oswiecim.

To what extent this alleged attempt is succeeding it is difficult to say. But it is undeniable that Polish Jews are already showing a tendency to look to the East for salvation. Straws show which way the wind is blowing, and it is significant that at a performance by two Jewish artists here last week there were numerous anti-American and anti-British jokes—all of them heartily applauded by the Jewish audience.

MR. RAPHAEL TUCK

The appointment of Mr. Raphael Herman Tuck, son of the late Mr. Lionel Tuck and a nephew of the late Sir Adolph Tuck, as Associate Professor of Political Science at Tulane University, New Orleans, has been announced by Dr. Rufus C. Harris, President of Tulane.

STRATTON BILL AND THE D.P.s

Soviet-U.S. "Breeze"

[*From our Correspondent*]
LAKE SUCCESS

A discussion of the Stratton Bill to admit 400,000 D.P.s to the United States led to a heated exchange at last week's meeting of the Social Committee of the United Nations between M. Zorin, the Soviet delegate, and Mrs. Roosevelt.

M. Zorin stigmatised the Bill as an attempt by the United States to secure cheap labour for the American market, quoting Mr. Stratton's statement that immigration would offset the shortage of labour. American interests, said M. Zorin, were thus being considered of greater importance than the desire of the D.P.s to be repatriated.

Mrs. Roosevelt declared that the charge was "cynical and utterly untrue." The Stratton Bill, she said, constituted an effort to educate the American public and change the United States law in relation to open immigration. She charged the Soviets with criticising the treatment of refugees while at the same time refusing to co-operate with the International Refugee Organisation on the question of genocide.

On the proposal of the French delegates, the Legal Committee decided last week to invite the Social and Economic Council to continue their study of a draft genocide convention.

RESETTLEMENT OF REFUGEES

I.R.O. Payment

The first payment to voluntary agencies for the rehabilitation and resettlement of non-repatriable victims of Nazi persecution, in accordance with the five-Power agreement of June, 1946, has been announced in Geneva by the United Nations International Refugee Organisation.

A total of $357,000 was put at the disposal of the Joint Distribution Committee and the International Rescue and Relief Committee from 15,000,000 kroners made available through the Swedish Government for the rehabilitation and resettlement of Nazi victims.—(J.T.A.)

JEWISH VICTIMS OF NAZISM

Germans Must Recognise Guilt

[*From our Correspondent*—NEW YORK]

The German people must themselves take a firm stand against anti-Jewish discrimination, declared Dr. Kurt Schumacher, Chairman of the German Social Democratic Party, at a recent meeting here.

Dr. Schumacher, whose visit to the United States has just ended, said that the Germans must recognise their guilt in this matter, adding that there could be no moral or tactical compromise in regard to the Jewish question. German Social Democrats would be guilty of self-betrayal if they weakened in their recognition of Jewish rights.

Denouncing "doubters and tacticians," Dr. Schumacher expressed the fear that in the present confused situation in Germany a politically backward people might once again succumb to Nazi trickery.

S. African News-Letter

SOUTH AFRICA'S COMING ELECTIONS

Jews and the Nationalist Party

[*From our Correspondent*]
POTCHESTROOM

Press and public in South Africa are already showing much interest in the forthcoming general elections in the Union, due to take place next Spring.

The attitude of the Nationalist Party towards the Jews is clearly indicated in a statement by Eric Louw in DIE KRUITHORING, the official organ of the Party. "The Jew," he writes, "is opposed to any national movement in the country where he lives. He is anti-national—he has always been so—and will be in the future. He knows only one nation—the Jewish nation. . . . Because the Jew is by nature anti-national he feels at home in the ranks of the Communist Party. . . . It must be remembered that the Jew is a person who, in the first instance, looks to his own interests. . . . He has already noticed which way the political wind is blowing in South Africa, and he trims his sails to the wind."

There has been no definite comment from the leader of the Party, Dr. D. F. Malan, who has been very evasive on the Jewish question.

It should be remembered that Jewry in South Africa is virtually disfranchised. A clause in the constitution of the Nationalist Party prohibits Jews from becoming members, so that the United Party is the only one for which they can vote.

Promoting Yiddish Culture

A Federation for the promotion of Yiddish culture has been established here. Already several concerts have been given in which the most famous Chazanim of the country have participated, including Cantor J. Eidelson and Cantor S. Kusevitsky, formerly of the Great Synagogue, London.

The Federation intends to set up modern Jewish schools, with Yiddish as part of the curriculum, a Yiddish art theatre, and periodicals published in that language.

RESTITUTION IN U.S. ZONE

Continued from page 1

No scheme has, as yet, been put forward for the reclaiming of property by heirs or former owners, except in the Russian zone, and Thuringen, where heirs and former owners have already been reinstated, and heirless property is held under the trusteeship of the Association of Jewish Communities.

The Jewish organisations have suggested the setting up of a body of barristers to represent claimants in court.

An edict has been published in the British zone, ordering the registration of all possessions exceeding the pre-war value of 1,000 marks expropriated on any pretext whatever, even after formal judicial procedure, if such expropriation was carried out on racial, religious, or political grounds. Former owners must submit their claims by the end of next year.

HEIRLESS PROPERTY IN U.S. ZONE

The Central British Fund and the Agudath Israel World Organisation have been recognised by the State Department in Washington as members of the Jewish Restitution Commission for Germany, says the J.T.A. Other members are the Joint Distribution Committee, the Board of Deputies of British Jews, and the Council of Jews from Germany.

With the approval of the State Department, the Agudist Executive in New York has appointed Mr. Jacob Rosenheim and Dr. Isaac Lewin, of New York, and Mr. H. A. Goodman, of London, as members of the Board of Directors of the Restitution Commission.

BELGIAN GOVERNMENT AND THE JEWS

"Liberal and Humane" Attitude

A bronze plaque has been handed to M. Spaak, Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs, by a deputation of the Council of Jewish Associations of Belgium, as a token of gratitude to the Government for its benevolent attitude towards the Jews during the occupation, says the J.T.A. correspondent in Brussels.

M. Spaak, in thanking the delegation, declared that as far as Jews living in Belgium, and those eligible to be admitted to Belgium, were concerned, the Government would continue to display an attitude of liberalism and humanity.

FRANCE EXPELS BRITON

[*From our Correspondent*—PARIS]

The Minister of the Interior has ordered the expulsion of Captain Frederic Courtenay, a British citizen.

It is alleged that Captain Courtenay had been engaged in observing Jewish "illegal" emigration to Palestine.

News from Abroad continued on page 20

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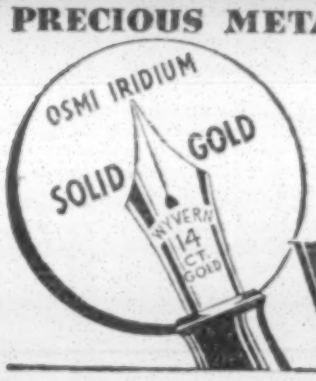

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LAGGING APPEALS

CORRESPONDENCE in the columns of this paper of the past few weeks has revealed something of the unfortunate conditions of competition and rivalry which subsist between certain great and good causes whose ultimate dependence is on the same public, the Central British Fund for Jewish Relief and Rehabilitation and the United Jewish Relief Appeal. It is not the purpose here to attempt to assert the exact rights and wrongs of this dispute, or to review the history of both appeals, but there is one aspect of the matter which cannot be overlooked. Much of the cantankerous and bitter mood showing through the letters of these organisations arises not so much from mutual quarrelling as from the common feeling of frustration and discouragement affecting them. The general, and thoroughly regrettable, lack of interest displayed by the public towards their appeals for finance with which to carry on their urgent and beneficent work naturally engenders acrimonious relationships, since each organisation is so desperately, and justifiably, anxious to maintain an adequate flow of funds towards itself from the limited resources which appear to be available. No one would desire to question the magnificent work which these organisations undertake. Their causes are deserving of the utmost measure of support. It would be superfluous to enumerate in detail the manifold charitable activities which they promote with such unflagging devotion. They are already known to all, and their excelling worth is universally acknowledged. Yet the fact remains that they are starved and stinted of the wherewithal for the maintenance of their most essential services. For some reason or another, the community persists in its attitude of apathy towards their desperate needs. The results of the special Rosh Hashana appeals, which it was hoped would revive public interest, have proved disappointing. A month ago, RABBI ISRAEL BRODIE, as the Senior Jewish Chaplain to the Forces, made a bold and imaginative effort to enlist the support of Jewish ex-Service men and women. His moving appeal to them to come to the rescue of the Jewish Relief Unit, which is financed through the C.B.F., was published in this paper. But this particular campaign has been no more successful than others before it. The news columns of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE have borne lamentable witness to its failure to arouse adequate interest. A meeting at Toynbee Hall last week, although it was addressed by distinguished speakers, attracted fewer than 30 people. On Monday of this week, another meeting at the Hammersmith Synagogue was attended by only 16 persons, and half of these were officials connected with its organisation. The following night, a meeting at the Stern Hall still further underlined the "drive's" failure, and evoked bitter remarks from the speakers. The Appeal Organiser for the C.B.F. referred to the "disgust which has taken the place of disappointment." Perhaps a more constructive comment was that of the Hon. Secretary of the Jewish Committee for Relief Abroad, who said: "We must do away with these emotions that do not lead to activity, these sighs that do not lead to pounds, shillings, and pence."

This is no time for recriminations between the different organisations which jointly bear Anglo-Jewry's responsibility for the bringing of succour to our suffering brethren on the Continent. Rather is it their duty to combine in an inquiry on the reasons for their continued lack of success. There must be some psychological or other factors which militate against their efforts. Their approach to the public evidently somehow does not take account of the community's mood and disposition. How much can be attributed to the effects of the general tension which afflicts all peoples at the present time, how much can be attributed to the special tension engendered among Jews by the revival of anti-Semitism and their fears for the future —all this needs investigation. Yet it cannot be seriously maintained that the generous instincts of Anglo-Jewry have withered and decayed, or that the springs of Jewish compassion have run dry. As is shown by the annual report of the Jewish National Fund, which is mentioned elsewhere in this issue, that institution raised a great sum in this country. Many other Zionist bodies have also attracted to themselves both popular sympathy and financial support. Among them is the Youth Aliya, which has very happy connections with the C.B.F. Perhaps the work of bodies such as the Youth Aliya and J.N.F. enlists public support by reason of their more obviously constructive and positive outlook. They are seen to have a definite objective in their approach, and not to be concerned only with philanthropic relief. And who knows—the argument might run who even in Britain might not one day have need of their help! The intrinsic importance of the activities of the C.B.F. and the U.J.R.A., because of the maintenance of moral at least among our Jewish brethren in Europe, must likewise be brought home to the community at large. It may well be that Anglo-Jewry finds difficulty in appreciating the full significance of the work undertaken on its behalf for the relief and rehabilitation of the refugees and D.P.s. For Anglo-Jewry cannot afford, if it values its honour and prestige, to neglect its duty in this matter, or to surrender its traditional calming influence on heated minds. Unless the Jews of Britain are content to abandon their historic traditions, they will never consent to withdraw from their responsibilities towards their Continental brethren. Dispatches in this issue from correspondents in Paris and Warsaw indicate how both the United States and Soviet Russia are increasing their authority with sections of European Jewry, with the consequent danger that they may be swallowed up in the ideological "war." Neither in material nor in spiritual resources have the Jews of Britain become so impoverished as to justify their ceasing to have any influence in this sphere. But unless such bodies as the C.B.F. and the U.J.R.A. can come together in a programme of action which will force our community to face up to its obligations, our reputation among Jewries elsewhere, who are already beginning to believe us both impotent and unwilling to help them, will be a thing of the past.

ECONOMICS

WHILE the political future of Palestine is now the subject of detailed discussion by the United Nations, the economic factors which must govern its progress by no means receive the full attention which they should. Unless, however, an independent Jewish State is based on sound economic foundations, its prosperity and its ability to function in the international sphere will be prejudiced from the outset. In matters of statecraft, politics and economics cannot nowadays be separated. Indeed, if anything, it is economics which largely shape politics. No Government of a modern State could maintain its sovereignty without a full regard of both these aspects of its administration. However frequently political changes may be effected in the life of any country, especially a democratic country where the pendulum of party politics swings regularly, there are always inescapable economic factors which outlast a particular party domination. At the present time, the citizens of Britain are being very forcibly reminded of this situation. Notwithstanding this country's long experience of political and constitutional development, present-day progress is subject to impedance by unavoidable economic difficulties. Other countries are similarly troubled, and at Brussels this week no fewer than 22 nations are examining the possibility of forming a European Customs Union. All the more necessary, therefore, is it that a newly created State—labouring under many limitations at the best—should not be deprived of the economic powers and jurisdiction which would effectively guarantee the maintenance of its sovereign independence. In his article on page 11, Mr. Martin Lederman, the Director of the Economic Bureau for Palestine in London, points the way at least to a study of this problem. Although one may not agree with all his premises or conclusions, he demonstrates how closely economic matters are linked not only with domestic government but with foreign relationships. Trade treaties, international loans, and foreign exchange control are instances of the problems which cannot be settled exclusively along political lines. Commercial and financial questions of great international importance are raised. These will involve the relations of the Jewish State with Britain, with neighbouring countries in the Middle East, and with the wider world, and our contributor discusses some of their far-spread implications. But fundamental principles must be determined now by international agreement, and not just left in abeyance or indefinitely postponed. If wisdom is shown in their formulation, these will contribute, in the more normal and realistic atmosphere of a self-governing Jewish State, to the greater mutual prosperity both of Palestine and of the world in general.

CHIEF RABBINATE CONFERENCE

VERY gratifying progress was made at last Sunday's Conference which was called to consider the preliminary arrangements for the election of a new Chief Rabbi. Although this was but the first stage in the eventual appointment, it was of considerable importance as determining the future lines of procedure for settling a matter of great public concern. During the long delay that has ensued since the death of Dr. Hertz, much discussion has taken place about the issues involved. This has largely centred on the precise combination of precedent and innovation that should be adopted. About some of these issues varying sections of communal opinion have expressed themselves in forcible and sometimes disputatious terms. A situation of expectancy and even tension had thus developed. In this atmosphere, the success of the conference largely depended on the tact and discretion with which it was guided by its leaders. For the happy progress that was achieved last Sunday, much credit is due to the admirable conduct of the proceedings by the President, Sir Robert Waley Cohen. His appeal to the delegates for a spirit of co-operation and responsibility won the response which it deserved. Delegates spoke their minds freely but with a real appreciation of the vital communal issues at stake. It is most satisfactory to be able to record that clarification and progress resulted from the discussion of several specific items on the agenda to which we particularly directed attention in our editorial comment of last week. As a consequence, the committee to which the conference entrusted the consideration of detailed points has been very wisely enlarged in a more representative way. It will now consist of 25 members: 1 to represent the Dominions; 1 each for Glasgow, Leeds, Manchester, Birmingham, Liverpool, Cardiff, and the North-Eastern areas of England; 5, the Federation of Synagogues; and 12, the United Synagogue. This committee will not be unaware of the possible dangers attending the proposal for a Consultative Council to assist the Chief Rabbi. Moreover, pending the receipt of the committee's report, the conference rightly postponed the question of voting rights in the Electoral College. The main desideratum now, as apparently no date was set at this first meeting, is that the committee should regard it as imperative to report back with the greatest possible speed.

B.B.C. SILVER JUBILEE

THE 25th anniversary of British broadcasting is being celebrated this week. Sincere congratulations are due to the B.B.C., which remains the faithful guardian of what has now become an institution of tremendous influence in the national life. Thanks to wise direction, it has performed a great public service with ever-increasing efficiency and resourcefulness. Apart from the provision of light entertainment, it has proved a potent educational and cultural force. In the sphere of religious broadcasting, it has naturally been primarily devoted to the diffusion of Anglican doctrine. But Jewish and other religious communities have also been granted periodical opportunities for the expression of their beliefs and ideals. At Jewish Festival times the impressive voice of the late Chief Rabbi was always heard with deep attention, and other Anglo-Jewish ministers have likewise been afforded the opportunity of expounding the message of Judaism. During his visit here this summer, Professor Buber (coming as an emissary from the Holy Land, where the Director of Broadcasting is the Hon. Edwin Samuel) spoke to English listeners about the ideals of Chassidism. Those who heard the touching broadcasts from the refugee and D.P. camps in Europe will not soon forget them. By a recent broadening of policy, the Governors of the B.B.C. have inaugurated the freer discussion of fundamental spiritual issues in the realm of religion, philosophy, and ethics. The success of the Third Programme has shown that there is a real demand for high and worthy standards. In every department of broadcasting, Jews have made a notable contribution to the programmes. This month alone, for example, listeners have been privileged to hear such outstanding musical artists as Solomon and Menuhin, and Bruno Walter; while Reizenstein and others have been participating in the Mendelssohn centenary celebrations. Professor Andrade has been talking on the latest developments in science, and Abraham Sofaer is taking a foremost part in the presentation of Milton's "Paradise Lost." On the "Brains Trust," Lord Samuel has long been a popular figure, and his Romanes Lecture will shortly be broadcast for the second time. These are, of course, but a few names that are representative of many more. This paper may be pardoned for taking particular pride in the broadcasts of its cookery expert, Mrs. Florence Greenberg, whose talks are widely appreciated in these times of domestic and culinary difficulty. And immediately after this week's birthday celebrations, next Sunday will witness the broadcasting of the Jewish Remembrance Service on the Horse Guards Parade Ground. Additional to its immediate significance, this may well bring to mind the magnificent role which the B.B.C. filled in the struggle against Nazism.

SCAPEGOAT

JEWS will read with more than usual interest the account (published on page 6) of a speech by Mr. Arnold Lunn and note the friendly attitude towards the Jewish problem displayed by this well-known writer and orator, whose interests have always been catholic in every sense of that not always aptly applied word. But while Mr. Lunn's sympathy with Jewish sufferings is welcome, and while it is realised, too, that Catholics, as well as Jews, have from time to time been the victims of persecution, there is a distinction to be made which he has either overlooked or not thought it worth while to mention. In the first place, without the desire to be tendentious, it must be pointed out that in the matter of persecution the Jews, unlike the Catholics, have always been on the receiving side; that this claim cannot be made for the Roman Church is recognised by Mr. Lunn, as is clear from his references to the Inquisition. Furthermore, when there has been persecution of Catholics, however unpardonable that persecution may have been, it was always given at least some colour of an excuse; and, again, it has been both temporary and local. The persecution of Jews, except that it has varied in intensity, has been universal both geographically and temporally. The Jew is persecuted, it is hardly an exaggeration to say, always and everywhere, simply and solely because he is a Jew. Of course, in different places and at different times the persecution is dressed up in a variety of specious coverings, but that fundamental fact remains. The theory has been maintained by some that anti-Jewish persecution is invariably the concomitant of economic distress; that it was the financial stringency under which pre-war Germany suffered that was a major cause of Jew-baiting in that country. How false—or at any rate how inadequate—that explanation is is shown by the distressing increase in anti-Semitism reported from the United States of America, the one country in the world that is least able to plead such an excuse. It cannot fail to be found significant that discrimination against Jews in America has vastly increased just at the time when there has become noticeable a decrease in hostility against the Negro population. Perhaps the explanation is that the Jew tends to be advanced in his political thought and at the same time an individualist. Thus we find that where private enterprise is the popular creed the Jew is labelled a "Communist," and where capitalism is held in low esteem the Jew is held to be the prototype of the hated businessman. The process seems to be: select your bogyman, identify him with the Jew, and start your pogrom. The Communist and the businessman —and the Catholic—remain relatively unscathed; the Jew again plays his age-old role of scapegoat.

GENERAL ZIONIST CONFERENCE

SINCE the 22nd Zionist Congress, one of the most interesting developments in the movement has been the rapid progress of the World Confederation of General Zionists. In both Europe and the United States, the Confederation has striven with considerable success to concentrate attention on fundamental constructive proposals rather than on partisan issues. It has aroused public opinion to a realisation of the irreparable damage that the whole cause will suffer unless interest and enthusiasm can be diverted from purely party questions to matters of basic importance. The differences between the various Zionist groups should be regarded as of relatively minor importance at this time, when a supreme crisis confronts the Yishuv. Dr. Weizmann's recent appearance as the Zionist spokesman before the United Nations was a welcome sign that the spirit of moderation and unity—rather than of extremism and faction—is reasserting itself in Zionist counsels. It should be the duty of General Zionism to foster this spirit against all separatist and intransigent tendencies. The World Confederation of General Zionists, by the establishment of its own financial instrument, to be known as the Constructive Enterprises Fund, hopes to facilitate the many tasks awaiting it. Mr. Isaac Kubowitzki, the recently appointed Director of this fund, outlined its purpose at a meeting he addressed in Manchester this week. And in London during the coming week-end a General Zionist National Conference will be held, which will no doubt impress upon Anglo-Jewry the significance of its activities. Nowhere more than in this country, with its long and steady tradition in politics, does the work of General Zionism deserve to win recognition and support. Nor should it be forgotten that its labours are not merely of an educational nature to be confined to the Diaspora. Whatever authority the General Zionists may lately have gained in America and Europe, in Palestine itself they constitute a comparatively new body, with as yet only some 8,000 followers. It is above all in the Yishuv that their practical influence must be exerted. No matter how it might develop later along normal party lines, no Jewish State can be inaugurated with any prospect of stability unless it is free at the outset from internecine strife. Some form of national coalition government will be imperative, and it is precisely towards this end that General Zionism can so profitably direct its energies.

About Books

ISRAEL'S DESTINY

Theory and Practice

The Jew: His Tragedy and his Greatness. By DAVID HADLER. *Gollancz*. 7s. 6d.

Reviewed by the Rev. Dr. S. GOLDMAN

The author's purpose was "to write words of encouragement to the millions of Jews who need solace. . . to give back to the downtrodden, oppressed, and persecuted Jew his self-confidence and self-respect." The aim is more than laudable; but, involving as it does the question of the final purpose, in the scheme of the universe, of suffering in general and Jewish suffering in particular, it is a task of supreme difficulty, in which failure to achieve complete success is not a matter for reproach.

In much of his book, Mr. Hadler comes very near to success. His main thesis is that suffering is implicit in the spiritual destiny of Israel. That destiny has inevitably brought the world into conflict with the Jews; but the author sees in it the glimpse of a larger world historical design. In his account of the lessons which the Jew alone, because of his historical experience and spiritual heritage, is equipped to teach the world, there is not only much fine writing and the outpourings of a sensitive soul, but also a great deal that is novel and refreshing; and there is an acute and penetrating study of the deep-seated dichotomy, the coincidence of opposites, in the Jewish mind, character, and experience.

Antinomies

But there are doctrines in the book which few Jews, other than the most thoroughgoing disciples of the late Claude Montefiore, will be able to accept. In fact, it would not be unfair to apply to the author the description which he gives of Montefiore—one of the "evangelical Jews who regard Jesus as one of the greatest prophets of Israel and accept the Synoptic Gospels." His penultimate plea is that the Jews should accept Jesus the Jew. It is in character, therefore, that Mr. Hadler should be staunchly against Jewish nationalism, and that he should repeat the antinomies of Liberal Judaism—prophets and priests, ethics and rabbinism, progress and orthodoxy, humanism and ceremonialism.

Mr. Hadler says of himself: "I never paid much attention to the cause of Judaism or Jewry. I am not a practising Jew, and I never go to synagogue." The more's the pity. If he had lived a Jewish life, he would have written a different book, for no amount of philosophising on Jewish history can be a substitute for Jewish living.

ARAB VILLAGERS

Insh'Allah. By HARRY MURTON WEBB. *Secker & Warburg*. 8s. 6d.

This is an honest, sympathetic, though somewhat sentimental tale, which makes a gallant and not wholly unsuccessful attempt to portray life in an Arab village in the south of Palestine. However, in his enumeration of the principal characters in the life of the village, which boasts of a mosque, it is surprising that the author has found no place for any religious leader, while his description of the way in which his little hero, Hassan, acquired a pet dog would have aroused the utmost misgivings among the boy's Moslem fellows.

The author tells us that his book was not written with any political intentions. But he cannot escape his responsibilities so lightly, for the story is bound up with the reactions of the Arab villagers, first to the coming of the English police in their midst, and then to the establishment of a Jewish settlement near by. In consequence, Mr. Webb finds himself, possibly against his better judgment, discussing political themes, and in so doing he gives the reader the impression that he is not so much unjust as superficial. If he had wished to steer clear of political controversy, he would have done better to set the background of his story even further south, away from the police and the chalutzim—but then he would have been obliged to find a different plot as well. The result, nevertheless, is a refreshing, if not an altogether satisfying, picture of life in the Palestinian countryside. D.F.K.

BOOK BRIEFS

Mendelssohn: Letters, edited by G. Selden-Goth (Paul Elek, 16s.), forms a delightful commemoration for the centenary of the great musician's death. Felix Mendelssohn was a most vivacious letter-writer, and this carefully translated and selected edition is enhanced by many reproductions of his own charming drawings. The Introduction discusses his Jewish origin, and Ignaz Moscheles and other Jewish names frequently appear in these pages.

Palestine Personalia (edited and published by Peretz Cornfeld, P.O. B.550, Tel-Aviv; £3) is an exceptionally useful reference book. It comprises a Who's Who of carefully compiled biographical information, and also an excellent section on public institutions and enterprises.

ECONOMIC ASPECTS OF A JEWISH STATE

*By MARTIN LEDERMAN**

It is unfortunate that most politicians are ignorant of economics. Neglect of economic matters on the part of the Zionist negotiators led, in 1922, to the adoption of the harmless-looking Article 18 of the Mandate, which has hindered progress in Palestine more than all the Arab disturbances or even the crisis of 1929. That article, intended only to protect Palestine from possible exploitation by the Mandatory Power, deprived it of any weapon of defence in trade relations. Germany and Japan, Fascist Italy, and many other countries, consequently threw their goods on to its defenceless market, and the development of its own agriculture and industry was hampered by this indiscriminate dumping.

More fortunately, at the present time, in the presentation of the Jewish case to the United Nations, the economic side has not been overlooked, and Mr. D. Horowitz, as the economic expert in the Jewish delegation, has fought with great knowledge and vehemence another apparently harmless article: Recommendation 9 of the Unscop proposals, which is capable of cancelling out in the economic field any progress made politically.

Report's Recommendation

This recommendation says that "the preservation of the economic unity of Palestine as a whole is indispensable to the life and development of the country and its peoples." It recommends that Palestine should be treated "as an economic unit, particularly with regard to such matters as customs, currency, transportation and communications, and development projects, including irrigation, land reclamation, and soil conservation." The report proposes, as executive agency, a Joint Economic Board composed of three representatives of each of the two States and three foreign members appointed by the United Nations.

The Jewish Agency, on the other hand, has asked that the Jewish State should have the right to conclude separate trade treaties, independently of the Arab State, as well as possess a separate national bank and foreign exchange control. This means that the Jewish Agency wishes to have political sovereignty extended to the economic field, as otherwise it would not be sovereignty at all.

It is not impossible at a later stage for the Jewish and the Arab States to conclude an agreement in order to reunite what had to be separated, but such an agreement would have to follow the lines of the Benelux§ negotiations, which were conducted freely by free partners without outside interference. To harness an ox and a donkey to the same cart is not only forbidden by Jewish law but also by common sense; and an economic union by decree would be a very unhappy partnership. It would, furthermore, prevent the Jewish State from obtaining and guaranteeing loans from abroad, which will be needed for its construction programmes.

The Unscop recommendation on a customs union did not mention import licensing. On this subject, an article by Dr. A. Marcus in DAVAR, of October 12, states:

"Theoretically, it may be said that the Jewish State is entitled to fix import quotas in respect of its territory and that the joint customs tariff with the Arab States does not deprive it of the right to fix quantitative import limitations at will. However, in practice, the position will be different, and probably on the following lines.

"Without a customs border between itself and the Arab State, the Jewish State will not have the slightest possibility of exercising control over such limitations, as the control is to be carried out in customs buildings, and if such buildings do not exist on the Jewish-Arab border, no control whatsoever is possible. In that case, the Arab State can transfer to the territory of the Jewish State any amount of goods which the former may have (officially) imported for its own use, and that without control. That means in practice that whatever the customs tariff rates of the Jewish State, be they identical with those of the Arab State or different, we cannot renounce the claim to an import border—*i.e.*, the exercise of import control on the Jewish-Arab border, for without it our State would have no possibility of determining an economic policy of its own."

This seems to be the crucial point. The claim that the full sovereignty to be granted to the Jewish State should also include economic sovereignty is strengthened by the fact that the Peel Commission has already recognised the same demand in principle. They said: "The Arab and Jewish States, being sovereign independent States, would determine their own tariffs."

Absolute Sovereignty

Any appraisal of the economic position of the Jewish State must be based on the assumption that absolute sovereignty will be obtained—*i.e.*, that its Government governs its finances, production, and trade. On this assumption, I believe that statehood will result in great progress in the economic field.

Foreign relations play a great part in Palestine's economic well-being. Let us review them in their order of importance:

(a) relations with Great Britain;
(b) relations with the neighbouring countries;
(c) relations with others.

Foremost on the list of problems in the Jewish State's relations with Great Britain is the question of whether the Palestine pound will remain linked to the pound sterling. This is connected with the problem of the use of the considerable sterling balances and the dollar income of the Jewish State. It is my firm belief that the Jewish State's future Government will obtain favourable conditions from the British Government, once the latter has to negotiate on the basis of equality. It has been too little recognised in the past that Palestine has always been an asset to the British Exchequer; and this may remain so if both Governments try to find a mutually beneficial basis for an integration into the sterling area of the Jewish State.

Moreover, the big construction programme which the Jews will have to undertake in connection with the assimilation of thousands of new immigrants will offer great possibilities for British export industries, since it will mean a steep rise in Jewish purchases. The political conflicts and tensions will cease after the eventual settlement, and, despite all apparent indications to the contrary, I believe that there is every prospect of economic co-operation, which may take the form of joint undertakings between Jewish enterprise and British capital.

The relations between Jewish Palestine and the Arab neighbouring countries have been dominated lately by the Arab boycott, which could not be countered because of the Jewish dependence on a more than neutral Mandatory Government. The Arabs, being admirable realists, will gradually cease to apply this boycott against a Jewish State which has an enormous buying capacity for almost all the products they want to sell. If the Jews can make their purchases in the Lebanon, Iraq, Transjordan, and Egypt conditional upon normal commercial and political relations, the realism of the Arabs will prevail over politics, and the Jews and Arabs will, within a few years, come round to a normal exchange of goods, visitors, and friendliness.

Reacting to Boycott

Palestine in 1946 bought from the above-mentioned Arab countries goods to the value of £8,400,000 and sold goods to them for only £1,200,000. As trade relations are nowadays strongly influenced by import licensing policy, it is obvious that a Jewish State will be able to react much more efficiently to boycotts than a foreign administration could.

The regulation of the Jewish State's foreign trade with other countries will change fundamentally as soon as it can use its bargaining position as a customer. When I see in the statistics that Palestine in 1946 bought £5,900,000 worth of very expensive Turkish products and could sell goods for only £118,000 to that country, I must conclude that Turkey has profited too much from the disabilities of the Palestine constitution. I remember what desperate efforts were made by the Department for Trade and Industry of the Jewish Agency and by the Foreign Trade Institute to persuade Turkey to change its policy. I believe that the first Jewish Minister for Trade will have quite a different reception when he visits Ankara after the establishment of a Jewish State and can negotiate with his partners on equal terms.

The same holds good for other countries which export to Palestine whatever goods they produce while closing their borders to most Palestinian products.

The use of the bargaining power implicit in the Jewish State's great import needs will considerably diminish its trade deficit and promote the expansion of its secondary industries and agriculture. Such an expansion will increase its economic absorptive capacity and guarantee a healthy development of the Jewish economy. It is my firm contention that in this way the main economic change for the better will be brought about, and I estimate that the Jewish State's economy will benefit from it to such an extent that the cessation of Great Britain's military expenditure will not prove harmful to Palestine's economic well-being.

* Mr. Lederman is the Director of the Economic Bureau for Palestine in London.

§Benelux is the name of the Customs Union of Belgium, the Netherlands, and Luxembourg, which was agreed on in 1944 and will come into force on January 1, 1948.

STIGMA OF A NAME

"Guardians'" Title

From Mr. Basil L. Q. HENRIQUES, J.P.

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—Those who are growing old will remember that the Jewish Orphanage at Norwood used to be called "The Jews' Hospital and Orphan Asylum." A little while ago, a new boy saw the old name on one of the tablets in the hall, and he immediately ran home. His mother is in a lunatic asylum, which, perhaps, he ought to have known, is now known as a mental hospital.

I have been trying hard to get the subscribers to "The Board of Guardians and Trustees for the Relief of the Jewish Poor" to agree to change the name of this, the most important organisation in the community, so that it may be known to all who seek its friendship and help as "The Jewish Welfare Society" (or Board, if preferred.) At the last annual meeting, when it was debated, the die-hards won by a small majority (the voting at the meeting of the Board itself had been equal) on the grounds that the J.B.G. had won a well-earned reputation for the splendid work it has done in the past, and that a change of name would mean a loss of subscribers.

I do not believe this second argument to be true, and the only way to test it is to invite, through your columns, the opinions of those who would cease to support the J.B.G. if its name were changed. When the J.H.O.A. became the Jewish Orphanage, certainly no such effect was felt.

Although "Relief of the Poor" is still one of the main functions of the Board, the many other branches of its work, when totalled together, are to-day greater than the relief work.

A boy or girl who wants to be apprenticed is ashamed of being classified among the needy poor. Poverty is by no means necessarily the cause of a wife quarrelling with her husband and for her then to seek the advice of the J.A.P.G.W., which is now incorporated in the Board. Men and women recovering from an illness do not want to feel paupers because they need convalescence, which the Board can obtain for them in a Jewish environment. It is hateful to think that a young demobilised Serviceman should feel that there is the stigma of pauperism placed upon him because he asks for a loan with which to rehabilitate himself as a civilian.

I know the Board does not want to bring shame to those who come to it, but it is necessary to be realistic. There used to be a fearful stigma upon those who asked for relief from the old Parochial Boards of Guardians. The present applicants to the J.B.G. are mainly English, and they can remember this. Now that they have changed their name, that dread has disappeared.

For the sake of the many Jews of all ages who want help from the J.B.G., I do ask the subscribers (who ought to consist of the whole community) to express their opinions, especially in relation to their generosity, on what I, and every other social worker actually living among those most likely to apply to the J.B.G., consider to be a matter of paramount importance.

BASIL L. Q. HENRIQUES.

The Bernhard Baron St. George's Jewish Settlement,
Berner Street, E.1.

THE NIENBURG CLUB

From Mr. L. G. MONTEFIORE, O.B.E.

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—Those of your readers who served with the B.A.O.R. may be interested to know that the Nienburg Club which opened in February, 1946, has been transferred to the Y.M.C.A. as from November 1. The gradual reduction in the size of the Army of Occupation has naturally led to a fall in the number of visitors to the club. In 1946, it was 794,000, and in the ten months of 1947, 416,000.

The Holy-day Services held at the club were well attended in both years, as were, though in a lesser degree, those held on the Sabbath Eve. The Senior Chaplain held moral leadership courses at the club when about 20 Jewish Service personnel lived at the club premises for the period of the course.

One may perhaps claim with justice that the Nienburg Club staff have, by their devotion and hard work, provided welcome amenities alike to Jewish and non-Jewish Service men and women.

L. G. MONTEFIORE,
Chairman, Jewish Hospitality Committee.
Woburn House,
Upper Woburn Place, W.C.1.

An Appreciation

The following letter of appreciation has been received by the Jewish Hospitality Committee:

GENTLEMEN,—With the closing down of the Jewish Hospitality Club situated in Nienburg, Germany, I should like to place on record my deep appreciation of the excellent work done by the ladies and staff who were in charge and to emphasise the most sincere regret of not only myself but of all the members of this Unit that the club, under the Jewish Hospitality Committee managership, must leave us.

The splendid work done by these ladies needs no boosting by me. It is well known. Their departure and the severance of the Hospitality Club from us out here in Germany is a great and real loss. It seems a pity that the end must be. I only hope that some day I may have the privilege and honour of meeting the Jewish ladies who have worked here, in Nienburg and given willingly, whole-heartedly, and so generously their time and efforts in such a grand cause. Their motto might well be that of "Rotary"—"Service, Not Self." Never has such a motto been better exemplified.

(Signed) J. A. FARRELL, C.O.I.(A).
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A.J.A.'s CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—It is a pity that the A.J.A. makes far-reaching alterations and important decisions without consultation with, and even approval of, its members. The A.J.A. dealt, at its last Council meeting, with a constitutional amendment according to which it facilitates the admission of corporate members, as duly reported in your last issue. In plain words, it means, as has also been expressed by a member of the Council, that the A.J.A. is trying to set itself up as a rival to the Board of Deputies. I think that this step is not only unnecessary, but also detrimental to Anglo-Jewry, and, I may add, it will never work, because there is no room for two representative bodies in this country.

One would have expected that such a proposal would be laid before a general meeting of its 1,800 members, and if and when the rank-and-file member had the opportunity to express his opinion, and if there had been general approval of this move, the Council would have had the right to work out such a plan. But to deal and decide behind iron curtains is an undemocratic method, which should not have occurred in an association which calls itself Anglo- and Jewish. I maintain that the great majority of its members are not in favour of such a step, and it is no use putting the Council's decision before the general meeting after it has been made, and a long time has elapsed.

It is amazing to read statements like this: that the Board of Deputies did not reflect the opinions of Anglo-Jewry, that there was little doubt that disintegration had set in in the Board, and, more amazing, that nobody on the Council dared to rise to deny these unfounded statements. Does Mr. Duncan not know how the Board is selected, or does he wish to mislead the community? Does Mr. Beber not know that more and more synagogues and institutions wish to send their Deputies to the Board and that there is a special committee which examines the correctness of their election and decides or recommends admission? It is true that the A.J.A. has seceded from the Board because the latter thought one Foreign Affairs Committee, elected by the Board, sufficient for dealing with Jewish foreign affairs, but, on the other hand, more Liberal and Orthodox Deputies have been admitted this session, and more Liberal and Orthodox members have accepted seats in various committees. It is, furthermore, a fact that many members of the A.J.A. are still Deputies at the Board, representing other organisations.

As to the difference in the elections between both organisations, it is worth reminding the community that the Board requires for its Deputies formal election by a synagogue or institution, while a 5s. subscription makes you a member of the Anglo-Jewish Association. The Deputy for the Chief Rabbi said, rightly, that by taking such a step they proved that they were in a state of disintegration. I hope that public decisions of far-reaching importance are not being made in private meetings.

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Provincial News

GENERAL ZIONISTS' CLAIMS

"Must be Strongest Group"

[*From our Correspondent*—MANCHESTER]

Addressing a meeting of the General Zionist Administrative Committee, held in Manchester, Mr. I. Kubowitzki, a leading General Zionist who recently arrived in this country from Palestine, said that Palestine had been built up by General Zionists, who did not believe in parties, but who, in the past, gave money to other parties to build Palestine. They had, in the past, no funds for assisting General Zionist youth who came to Palestine or wanted to go there.

"We now have to realise our present position," declared the speaker, "we are the strongest group in the world but the weakest in Palestine. We General Zionists must be strong at the next Congress election—we must again be the strongest group so that we can bring our point of view forward. In Palestine, in the Jewish State, we must have a strong General Zionist party. We must have a seat in the councils where the future of the Jewish State will be determined."

Mr. Kubowitzki stated that America had given $500,000 to the General Zionists in Palestine. Now that they had their own fund they had become strong. They had built houses and settlements. The General Zionist youth were no longer orphans. It was the General Zionists who achieved agreement between the parties at the Actions Committee at Zurich.

Mr. Norman Jacobs presided.

FRESH AIR HOME

The sum of £700 was raised for the Jewish Fresh Air Home, Delamere, at a dinner and dance held at the "Royal George," Knutsford, recently. The dance was organised by the Sedgley Park Aid Committee. The cost of the dinner was defrayed by Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Leighton.

A meeting organised by the Manchester branch of the Ezra-Poale Agudat Israel, held at 99, George Street, heard Mr. Moshe Neustadt, of the Poale Agudat Israel Kibbutz, Chafetz Chaim, give an address, illustrated by a film, on the Kibbutzim. Mr. I. Emanuel presided.

At the recent annual meeting of the Sale and District Congregation, Mr. M. E. Sions was elected Chairman; Mr. G. Abelson, Treasurer; and Mr. B. D. Diamond, Hon. Secretary.

PROVINCIAL COUNCILS MEET IN LIVERPOOL

[*From our Correspondent*—LIVERPOOL]

A Conference of Provincial Representative Councils was held at Zion House, Princes Road, Liverpool, recently. Delegates from Birmingham, Brighton and Hove, Cardiff, Hull, Leeds, Liverpool, and Manchester and Salford attended, and Dr. I. J. Lipkin, President of the Liverpool Council, presided.

On the subject of austerity catering, the consensus of opinion was that rigid rules going beyond the regulations of the Ministry of Food could not be enforced, and it was agreed to recommend that personal appeals be made to Baalei Simcha to exercise restraint in their simchoth.

MODERN HEBREW LESSONS

Facilities for learning modern Hebrew in Liverpool have been increased. The Education Committee of the Zionist Central Council have, in co-operation with the Liverpool Education Committee, organised evening classes at the Liverpool Institute on Wednesday evenings, for elementary, secondary, and advanced students under the tutorship of the Rev. A. Gersten, and a class is also being taken there under Mr. H. Labovitch for Matriculation Hebrew.

Two popular classes and a beginners' class for ladies on Mondays at 8 p.m., under Mr. M. Bineth, are held at the Greenbank Drive Synagogue. They are open to non-members of the congregation. Rabbi Dr. S. M. Lehrman takes a Chug Ivri on Tuesday evenings at Bachad House. Classes are also conducted under the Rev. S. Segal at the Childwall Synagogue.

BELFAST AID FOR J.P.A.

For the launching of the Joint Palestine Appeal in Belfast at a meeting at the Jewish Institute, the chief speakers were Mr. Louis Golding and Councillor S. C. Hamburger, of Manchester.

The sum of £2,000 was raised at the meeting by the Belfast Committee, under the chairmanship of Mr. Leo Scop.

£5,000 FOR J.P.A.

A dinner party held at the Kings Hotel, Brighton, raised £5,000 for the Joint Palestine Appeal. Mr. Halevy presided and the speakers were the Rev. B. Cherrick and Mr. Louis Golding.

A LAW AGAINST RACIALISM?

Prof. Brodetsky's Doubts

[*From our Correspondent*—LEEDS]

Addressing the annual meeting of the Leeds Jewish Representative Council, held at the Psalms of David Synagogue, with Mr. M. Labovitch in the Chair, Professor S. Brodetsky spoke about Fascist activities, and the introduction of legislation to outlaw anti-racial and anti-religious discrimination and propaganda.

Though he personally favoured such legislation, said Prof. Brodetsky, he was under no illusion about its improbability—not because of any desire on the part of the British public to permit such activities, but rather because of their fear to infringe in the slightest respect on the liberty of freedom of speech, for which they had striven, and which they now prized.

The annual elections resulted as follows: Messrs. M. Labovitch, President; D. Fox and W. Goldberg, Vice-Presidents; M. Silman, Treasurer; and A. Conway, Hon. Secretary.

A luncheon given by Mrs. Annie Goldstone at the Mizrachi Youth Centre in aid of the Sarah Herzog Rehabilitation Fund, raised over £70. Mr. I. Fass announced that the Leeds Women's Mizrachi had already remitted to Palestine £600 of the £1,000 which they undertook to raise in Leeds.

The Chanukat Habayit of the Leeds Youth House of Hashomer Hatzair was held recently under the auspices of the Leeds Zionist Council.

BIRMINGHAM J.N.F. COMMISSION

[*From our Correspondent*—BIRMINGHAM]

Mrs. Valerie Gould, presiding at the annual meeting of the J.N.F. Commission, Birmingham, at the Imperial Hotel, paid a tribute to all workers who had helped to raise the income of the Commission by more than half that of the previous year.

Commander F. Ashe Lincoln, K.C., gave an address on the work of the Fund. A presentation was made to Miss Pauline Ellis, Secretary of the Commission, who is shortly leaving for South Africa.

Harold Baum, second son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Baum, Sandon Road, has been appointed Head Boy of Halesowen Grammar School, where he is the only Jewish pupil.

GLASGOW REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

[*From our Correspondent*—GLASGOW]

Jews who served in both wars joined in paying tribute to the fallen at the annual memorial service of the Glasgow Jewish Branch of the British Legion, at the Great Synagogue, South Portland Street, on Sunday.

The Rev. M. Fomin conducted the service, and the names of those who fell were read by Lieut.-Colonel J. Collins, O.B.E. Following a two minutes' silence, buglers of the Glasgow Company of the Jewish Lads' Brigade (Cadets) sounded the "Last Post" and "Reveille."

In the course of an address, the Rev. Dr. I. K. Cosgrove, Hon. Chaplain to the Jewish Branch, said that over 60,000 Jews in Britain had served in the armed forces during the war; British Jews had done their duty as loyal citizens. But their enemies had forgotten the Jewish contribution. There was no hope for a better world until a definite end was put to racial defamation and anti-Jewish propaganda, and justice and good will was meted out to Jews.

Rabbi B. Atlas also spoke on the significance of remembering those who made the supreme sacrifice.

BLACKPOOL LIBERAL CONGREGATION

[*From our Correspondent*—BLACKPOOL]

A draft constitution of the Liberal Jewish Congregation was approved at the first general meeting, held at Friends' House, Raikes Parade, and the following were elected: Mr. C. D. Linger, President; Mr. J. Waxman, Vice-President; Mr. M. Kean, Treasurer; and Mrs. R. Comor, Hon. Secretary.

A Ladies' Committee was formed, with Mrs. R. Thurs as Chairman, and Mrs. R. Cohen, Hon. Secretary. About 50 members were present.

The service last Sabbath was conducted by Mr. S. M. Rich, of the South London Liberal Synagogue.

Religion classes have been started by the congregation.

SUNDERLAND'S DEPUTY MAYOR

Alderman J. Cohen, J.P., and Councillor Mrs. K. Cohen, have been appointed Deputy Mayor and Deputy Mayoress for the County Borough of Sunderland. This is the first time in the history of Sunderland that a husband and wife, members of the same Council, have held these positions.

CARDIFF HELPS C.B.F.

[*From our Correspondent*—CARDIFF]

A gathering of Cardiff Jewish women, at the Angel Hotel, presided over by Mr. J. Skrek, Hon. Secretary of the Cardiff Committee of the Central British Fund, heard an address on conditions in the D.P. camps by Miss Pearl Levy, a former relief worker in Europe.

Other speakers included Mr. A. Hauser and Mesdames J. Skrek, M. Kaye, and H. Seager.

Mrs. A. Hauser has accepted the Chairmanship of the Cardiff Ladies' Section of the C.B.F. Other officers are Mrs. R. Bogod, Vice-Chairman; Mrs. L. Curitz, Treasurer; and Miss D. Belinan (66, Roath Court Road, Penylan), Hon. Secretary.

A concert in aid of the C.B.F. was held at the Empire Theatre, among those taking part being Anne Zeigler, and Webster Booth, Maudie Edwards, Sidney Shaw, Renara, Lisbona and Lubin, and Antonia Roblez.

Mr. Gershon Cohen writes that he is not the G. Cohen referred to in the report of the meeting of the Cardiff United Synagogue, printed last week.

AMERSHAM—A meeting held recently with the object of reopening the Jewish Youth Club appointed Mr. S. Bloch organiser, and elected a small committee. It was decided that meetings should be held at 7.30 p.m. Saturday evenings at the Woodside Hall, Woodside Road, Amersham. All over 15 are invited to join the club. Those interested should apply to the Secretary, Miss A. Meyerhof, 19, Green Lane, Amersham, Bucks.

BRADFORD—Three one-act plays were presented before large audiences at the Jewish Institute last week by members of the Bradford Jewish Institute Dramatic Society. Mr. Joseph Leff was the producer.

HULL—A dance held in aid of the Jewish Orphan Aid Society at the New York Ballroom, Anlaby Road, Hull, raised £100. The Sheriff of Hull, Mr. W. Austen Hudson, attended.

MIDDLESBROUGH—The Young Zionist Society has started a "Hebrew-for-all" course, with the President, Rabbi L. Miller, in charge of the classes.

NEWCASTLE—At the annual meeting held by the Zionist Association, Mr. Louis Myers, who presided, said that during the year they had collected nearly £6,000 for the J.P.A. He praised the work of the Treasurer, Mr. Woolf.

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who had agreed to serve for another year, and Mr. H. Gould, who had agreed to continue as Hon. Secretary, and he also thanked the Hon. President, Mr. S. Phillips, for his support. Mr. George Cowan was elected Chairman, and Messrs. L. Myers and S. Goldwater, Vice-Chairmen.

SHEFFIELD—A public meeting arranged by the Sheffield Jewish Information Committee was addressed by Mr. Alan Rose, Organising Secretary of the Association of Jewish Ex-Servicemen, who spoke on "Jewish Defence and the Fight against Fascism." Mr. Harry Benson presided.

SOUTHPORT—With the erection of a Communal Hall in Southport, a new Zionist and Social Society, for young people over eighteen, has been formed called the Hatikvah Society. It meets on three nights a week and has a Zionist Study Group, and dramatic and football sections. The committee includes Messrs. Lionel Becker, Chairman; Alan Joseph, Vice-Chairman; Harold Newman, Treasurer; and the Misses Joyce Jackson and Adele Rosen, Hon. Secretaries.

SOUTH SHIELDS—At the annual meeting of the Congregation held in the Communal Hall, the following were re-elected: Mr. H. Louis, President; Mr. M. Simon, Treasurer; and Mr. Simon Brooke, Secretary.

ST. ANNES-ON-SEA—At the annual meeting of the Women's Zionist Society, held at Aishel Court Ballroom, the following were elected: Mesdames F. Raffles, President; W. Barnard, I. Brown, H. Kindler, and J. Margolis, Vice-Presidents; M. Goldstone, Chairman; S. Goorney and I. Lipshaw, Vice-Chairmen; H. Kwasnik, Treasurer; and P. Smith, Hon. Secretary; and C. Lipshaw and S. Black, Chairmen for J.N.F. Boxes and for Propaganda. The balance-sheet showed that over £630 had been raised in the year.

STOCKPORT—The annual distribution of prizes at the Stockport Hebrew classes was held recently, after an examination conducted by the Rev. I. W. Sloiki, on behalf of the Manchester Central Board for Hebrew Education.

SWANSEA—The Rev. C. M. Bloch gave his farewell sermon as Minister of the synagogue, and at a Kiddush, later, was wished God-speed on his leaving to take up a post in London.

Among those who have been elected officers of the Hebrew Congregation are Mr. Lewis Palto, President; Mr. Walter Hyman, Treasurer and Warden; and Mr. Monty Black, Hon. Secretary.

DEBATE ON ORTHODOXY AND REFORM

[*From our Correspondent*—CAMBRIDGE]

"Religion to-morrow—Orthodoxy or Reform?" was debated before the Cambridge University Jewish Society by Mr. H. A. Goodman and Mr. H. Soref.

It was vital, said Mr. Soref, that some Jewish alternative to Orthodoxy should be provided for those for whom Orthodox practices had lost their meaning and the authority which lay behind them seemed no longer valid. There was room for Orthodoxy to exist side by side with Progressive Judaism.

Mr. Goodman considered that Progressive Judaism had grown older and wiser, but that it was losing its hold and would disappear before long. For him, the Aguda was the only true Orthodoxy, and the Godless spirit of secularism the real enemy. The attempt at "racial assimilation" in Palestine was a denial of 3,500 years of Jewish history. Isaiah and Ben Hecht could not both represent the spirit of Judaism—one of them must be wrong.

In the discussion, Orthodox speakers claimed that Progressive Judaism was unable to provide a firm basis for belief and practice in place of the divinely inspired Bible whose authority it denied.

Addressing the Society recently on "Some Aspects of Jewish Law," Dr. D. Daube discussed how far it could be applied in a Jewish State. The Jewish civil code, he said, was quite as good as any other, but the criminal code would have to draw on outside experience.

Mr. R. V. Baron (Trinity) presided.

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DUBLIN—Presiding at the annual meeting of the Dublin Talmud Torah, at Zion Schools, the President, Mr. A. Newman, P.C., said that there were 230 pupils on the rolls, of whom 77 attended at 52, Grosvenor Road. He paid tribute to the leading congregations for recommending an increase in the education levy, and thanked the Ladies' Committee for their help, and all those who had given financial support.

At a reception held at "Balholm," Shrewsbury Road, the Council of the Talmud Torah presented an illuminated address to Mr. A. Newman, P.C. (President for the last 21 years), the Ladies' Committee presented one to Mrs. Newman (Chairman of the Committee), and a pair of silver candlesticks was presented to Mr. E. Newman (Hon. Solicitor to the Talmud Torah) to mark his recent marriage.

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ARAB NERVE WAR FIASCO

Little Enthusiasm for Palestine War

[*From our Special Correspondent*]

The "war" atmosphere which was created at the meeting of the Arab League last month has now died away and there has been a noticeable easing of the tension both in Palestine and in the neighbouring Arab countries during the past few days. Those responsible for the wild statements about war in Palestine must now realise that their war of nerves was a complete failure.

In the light of their own threats to invade Palestine, the leaders of all the Arab States have had to calculate very realistically the fighting capacity of their respective armed forces and, with the help of foreign (mainly British) military experts, they have been forced to the conclusion that their forces were not only far from adequate to undertake an invasion of Palestine, but were insufficient even to meet emergencies which might arise inside their States.

Now, each Arab State is planning considerably to increase its armed forces and improve its equipment. Any change, they realise, will require several months.

Mufti Protests Surprise Arabs

Considerable surprise is expressed in Arab circles both in London and in the Middle East at the protest made by the British Government to the Lebanese Government about the movements and activities of the ex-Mufti. These Arab circles state that there has been a noticeable change in the attitude of the British Government towards the ex-Mufti, and that, in fact, official British agents in the Middle East have met him and conferred with him, thus, they claim, giving him "unofficial" recognition. These Arab circles do not believe that the Government has changed its attitude towards the ex-Mufti, but say that the protests merely indicate the British Government's concern over Jewish and pro-Jewish world public opinion. This makes the Arabs suspect that the concern, which they believed had disappeared, may be further manifested by the Government's withdrawal of its present support of the Arabs on certain matters.

Some of the differences over Jews between the Arab Offices in London and Washington run by Mussa Eff. el Alami, with Iraqi financial support, and between the Arab Higher Committee, which is recognised by the Government as the representative body of Palestinian Arabs, were revealed this week. A spokesman of the Arab Higher Committee severely criticised a statement made by a spokesman of the Arab Office in London, in which the latter stated that the Jews would be equal citizens in the Palestinian State and would enjoy full minority rights.

The Higher Committee spokesman pointed out that the Arabs would only recognise those Jews who had entered Palestine legally before the publication of the White Paper, but even they should not expect any special minority or autonomy rights. They would have to realise that it was only through the generosity of the Arabs of Palestine that they were allowed to stay.

"Jews Will Be Sent Back"

Even this statement did not satisfy another spokesman of the Arab Higher Committee who, apparently on the direct instructions of the ex-Mufti, told some correspondents in Beirut that no Jew who had settled in Palestine after the issue of the Balfour Declaration would be recognised as a Palestinian subject. The States from which the Jews had come would be requested to take most of them back. The Arab Higher Committee thought that a quarter of a million Jews was the maximum that the Arabs of Palestine could tolerate in "their" country.

Preparations by Palestinian Arabs in the event of an armed clash with Jews should an unfavourable solution be imposed on them, have achieved very little so far. The national committees, which should have been set up in each Arab village, found little favour among the villagers, who are more reluctant than ever to make trouble since the 1936-9 disturbances. It is only among the hot-headed youth in the towns and in the villages in the hill-country that the organisation of fighting groups has made any headway.

Arab citrus growers, who have regularly contributed a considerable proportion of the finances of the Arab "underground armies" have expressed strong views on the necessity of maintaining peace in the country.

It is very interesting to note that although the leaders of the Palestinian Arabs have pledged to fight "to the last drop of blood" against partition, most politically-minded Arabs consider partition inevitable. Indeed, a good many Arab notables in the areas which would be assigned to the Jewish State, have made efforts to strengthen and improve friendly relations with their Jewish neighbours.

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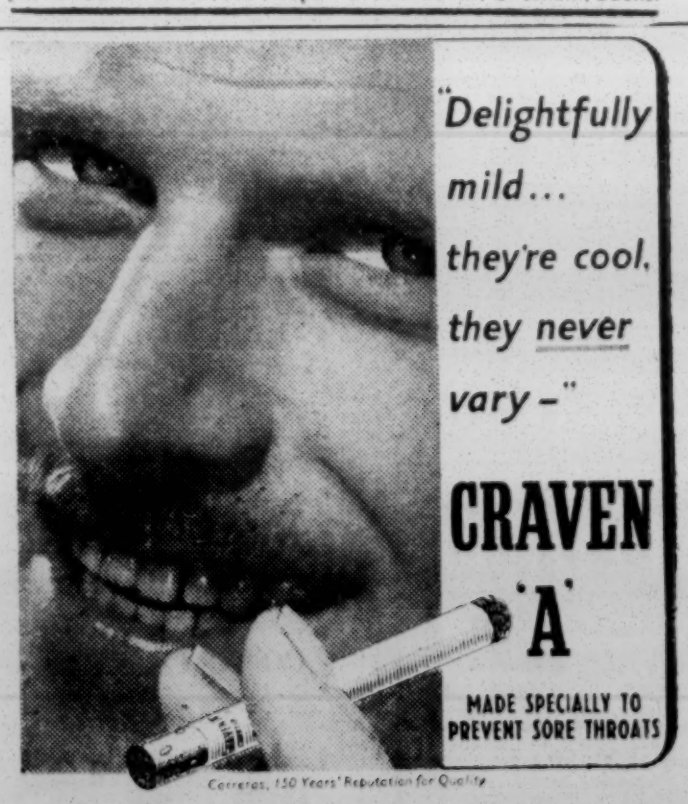

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To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—Your readers will, no doubt, have noted, with interest, from your columns recently that our new unit at Stoke Newington is now open for the reception of patients. This unit is being maintained in conjunction with, and *in addition* to, our temporary unit at Hampton Court. As a result, my Committee is faced with the task of finding an additional sum of no less than £17,000 during the period to July next, when the National Health Service commences to operate. To meet this need, vastly increased support from the community will be necessary, and I would appeal to all societies and other bodies which support institutions such as this, to rally to our aid in an effort to help us raise this large sum.

May I point out, too, that the advent of the National Health Service does not, in any way, mean that communal institutions such as this will no longer require financial assistance. Indeed, the opposite is the case, as the Minister of Health has publicly stated that voluntary service will still be both welcomed and necessary for the financing of schemes of research and other items involving capital expenditure coming outside the scope of the new Service.

May I, therefore, through your columns, appeal for the wholehearted support of the community. The Secretary of the hospital will be glad to hear from any interested organisations, and to furnish any detailed information required.

DOROTHY BEARSTED,
President.

Bearsted Memorial Hospital,
Lordship Road,
Stoke Newington, N.16.

THE AUSTERITY SCHEME

Not Modified

From Mr. JACQUES COHEN

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—I should be obliged for a few lines of your valuable space to inform the community that the Austerity Scheme of the Jewish Defence Committee of the Board of Deputies, which requests that no poultry or meat should be served at functions, has not been modified. It will be appreciated that, so far from diminishing, the need for the strict imposition of austerity standards, in view of the national food crisis, is in fact greater than it ever was. Certain caterers are, however, openly contravening this requirement, and are, in an attempt at self-justification, spreading the report that they are doing so with the consent of the Defence Committee.

I am certain that all responsible members of the community who accepted the scheme with understanding and loyalty, will require only this notification in order steadfastly to continue in their refusal to allow themselves, on the occasion of any celebration, to be persuaded into contravening these communal requirements.

JACQUES COHEN,
Chairman, Joint Austerity Committee.

Board of Deputies, Jewish
Defence Committee,
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Upper Woburn Place,
London, W.C.1.

THE "EXODUS" FAST DAY

From Dayan H. M. LAZARUS

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—In the report of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE on the Chief Rabbinate Conference in your last week's issue (November 7, p. 5, column 3), regarding Mr. William Goldstein's complaint about the recent proclamation of a fast day (for August 28 last), the facts are as follows:

The return of the Exodus refugees to Hamburg had roused the whole Yishuv to a cry of agony. A cable from the Palestine Chief Rabbinate calling Jewry to prayer and fasting on Monday, August 25, reached the London Beth Din on Sunday, August 24. The general Press agencies and the B.B.C. were thus the only means available for informing our communities to observe the following Thursday (August 28) as a day of prayer and fasting.

Although the communal response was not coincident in regard to day and locale, we know that it was loyally responded to far and wide by individuals and congregations. Under those circumstances, there cannot be any imputation of either disregard or negligence in regard to the proclamation of that Fast.

HARRIS M. LAZARUS,
Deputy for the Chief Rabbi.

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THE Soviet Ambassador, M. Zarubin, was among those who spoke at the 30th anniversary celebration of the foundation of the U.S.S.R. at the Kingsway Hall, Holborn, on Monday evening. The event was held under the ægis of the British-Soviet Society.

Points from Letters

ZANGWILL BIOGRAPHY

May I endorse the plea made by your correspondent, Mr. J. Mindel, for a published biography of Israel Zangwill? It has always been a matter of great surprise to me that in all these years since Zangwill's death, none of our contemporary writers in Anglo-Jewry should think it worth while to apply himself to the task, to offer to the present generation the story of the life of their outstanding and colourful man of letters and champion of the Jewish people and their cause. To permit such an almost unique character in Anglo-Jewry, with the vast and inimitable output of his pen, to sink into oblivion seems to me an unforgivable reflection upon our people and a sin against a man who is perhaps best remembered by a past generation through his clarion call to the world to restore to "the people without a land, the land without a people."—I. COHEN, 6, Southway, N.W.11.

GIRLS AND YIDDISHKEIT

How truly does Miss Esther Cohen write upon the complete indifference and ignorance of the young Jewish woman of to-day towards *Yiddishkeit*. But *kashrut* and the *mikvah* are not the only issues on which Jewish womanhood has to confess ignorance. All the average young Jewish girl knows about orthodoxy is confined to the fact that you have to light candles on Friday night; eat matzot on Pesach; have a quick look in *shool* on Rosh Hashana; and fast on Yom Kippur! Let anyone ask a girl to go along with him on a Sabbath morning to hear a Chazan, and he will receive a look comprised of both pity and scorn. On the other hand, ask them out to a film show, theatre, or dance, and note the marked difference. If a suitor is presented to a girl, the very first question asked is "Is he *froom*?" If the reply is in the affirmative, then the *shidduch* is rejected on the spot. How many English-born girls can read a word of Hebrew? I've seen them filing in to say *Yizkor*. Pathetic figures, clutching Prayer-books printed in English, glancing round their own synagogue like some alien in a foreign land, instead of sharing its warmth and intimacy. It is up to each Jewish parent to try to see to it that his or her daughter does not grow up to be ignorant of Jewish matters.—MR. HARRY BINSTOCK, 39, Leman Street, Aldgate, London, E.1.

"BUND AND ZIONISM"

One reads with amazement of the re-emergence of that discredited and politically bankrupt body, the Bund. Its very existence before the war was a symptom of the "Diaspora disease," the product of warped ghetto minds and bodies. By its consistent opposition to the far-sighted Zionist policy of the timely evacuation of Jews, it contributed not a little to the awful tragedy of Eastern European Jewry. For Bundisis and their sympathisers to flaunt their anti-Zionism even at this hour is surely the lowest depth of moral and political degradation. How many adherents from the survivors of the holocaust can the Bund claim now?—S. SCHWARTZ, 89, Carysfort Road, London, N.16.

AGUNOT PROBLEM

In a recent issue of your valuable journal, in the course of your very apt observations on the Agunot problem, you refer to the "Otzar Haposkim," which is being published here under the supervision of His Eminence the Chief Rabbi, Dr. Herzog, and to Dr. Herzog's introductions. Permit me to point out that there is a misunderstanding on your part when you complain that the Chief Rabbi thinks that the period of the responsa closed some centuries four centuries ago. His Eminence clearly speaks of the stream of responsa beginning with the close of the Talmud and continuing to the present day. Dr. Herzog, together with other great Rabbinical authorities here, is working hard on the Agunot problem, and before long, if adequate funds are provided, a special volume of the "Otzar Haposkim" will be published which we feel confident will be epoch-making in that connection.—M. A. RACKOVSKY, Private Secretary, Office of the Chief Rabbi of the Holy Land, Jerusalem.

SOLDIERS' GRAVES

During a recent trip to Belgium and Holland, I visited a number of military cemeteries and laid flowers on the graves of fallen soldiers on behalf of their relatives. I found a number of Jewish graves on which I also laid flowers and of which I took photographs. The names are as follows: Private N. A. Lazarus, 6458653, 1/6 Queens, K.A., died 10.9.44, buried at Adegem; Captain J. M. Henry, 174343, 10 Para. Regt., D.W., died 19.9.44, Arnhem; Sergt. R. Franks, 1561121, Glider P. Regt., died Sept., '44, Arnhem; S./Sgt. J. A. L. Susskind, 97004516, R.E., died 19.4.45, Arnhem; Rfm. E. Charlet, H.69954, Q.O.R. of C., D.W., died 20.10.44, Adegem; Private N. Feinstein, F.3906, North N.S. Highlanders, D.W., died 2.11.44, Adegem. I shall gladly send the photographs to relatives on hearing from them. Three of the men are Canadians.—MRS. JEANETTA ROSE, 106, Hendon Way, London, N.W.2.

"Sinister Forces"

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the terms of the resolution adopted at the last annual meeting and of a similar resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees of the National Conference of Christians and Jews in the U.S.A., the International Council of Christians and Jews should be regarded as having been provisionally constituted by these two national organisations, and that pending the accession of further members and the detailed determination of its Constitution it be known as the International Council of Christians and Jews (in process of formation).

It was also resolved that a provisional Executive Committee of twelve members be appointed, six to be nominated by the Council of Christians and Jews, and six by the National Conference of Christians and Jews. The following were appointed to serve as the British members of this committee: the Rev. Father Maurice Bevenot, S.J., Captain Bulkeley-Johnson, Mr. Neville Laski, K.C., the Rev. Dr. J. W. Parkes, Rabbi Kopul Rosen, and Mr. Leonard J. Stein.

The three co-Chairmen of the Council will be Lord Reading, the French Ambassador to the Vatican, and Dr. Henry Noble MacCracken (U.S.A.).

In presenting the annual report the Marquis of Reading, Vice-President, emphasised the fact that manifestations of anti-Semitism were not merely the concern of the Jewish Community.

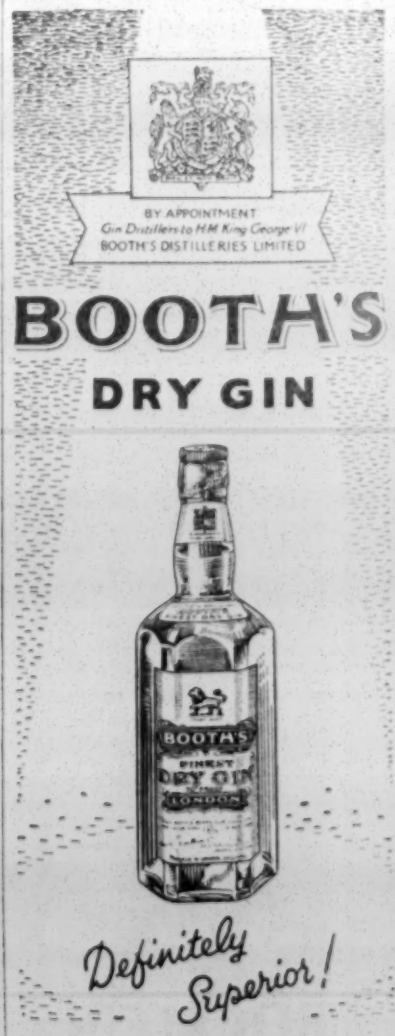
"Obscure" Anti-Semites

Dr. J. J. Mallon, Warden of Toynbee Hall, who moved the resolution dealing with anti-Semitic activities in this country, said it was easy to exaggerate the importance of this activity, which was the work of a comparatively small number of obscure men.

They had formed, at Toynbee Hall, a Council of East London Citizens, said Dr. Mallon. Meetings would be called at which audiences would be made to understand how vile a thing it was that one set of people in the community should be systematically attacked and assailed.

In seconding the resolution, Professor S. Brodetsky, President of the Jewish Board of Deputies, said he very much regretted that it was necessary to have such a resolution at all. "Mass Observation" had stated that "anti-Semitism has increased during the last few years," and that "at the moment nearly half the population shows at least faint signs of it."

The Archbishop of Canterbury said that by such a resolution they were doing what they could to eliminate those sinister forces—and sinister indeed they were. They were sinister not merely for the Jews—by no means chiefly for the Jews—but for those who harboured them even more profoundly than for those who suffered by them, because to harbour such motives was nothing but an increase of devilishness in the hearts of men.



THE ONLY GIN THAT HOLDS THE BLUE SEAL OF THE INSTITUTE OF HYGIENE

Anti-Semitism in the U.S.A.

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shockingly illustrated by individual outrages. There are times when the whole structure of our ideology is made ridiculous by individual instances. And there are certain practices continuing, quiet, omnipresent practices which do irreparable damage to our beliefs."

The Committee urges the establishment of a permanent Federal Commission to safeguard civil rights, and suggests that individual States should take similar action. Congress, it is recommended, should create a standing civil rights committee, and the Department of Justice should reorganise and enlarge its civil rights section to prevent racial discrimination. The report specifically mentions anti-Jewish discrimination in higher education.

Following the President's statement, Judge J. M. Proskauer, President of the American Jewish Committee, and Dr. Stephen S. Wise, President of the American Jewish Congress, have issued statements calling for immediate steps to implement the report, as has also Mr. Walter White, Executive Secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Coloured People. In his statement, Judge Proskauer declares: "Violation of civil rights, group dissension, race and religious discrimination and bigotry constitute one of the most immediate challenges to American democracy. Through a combination of intelligent legislation based on an effective programme of popular education, this challenge can be met."

Discrimination Increasing

The nature of the challenge is underlined by the FORTUNE finding that only about 25 per cent of American adults show any real concern about anti-minority discrimination, which is growing rather than diminishing. According to the FORTUNE poll, 36 per cent declared that "the Jews were getting too much economic power," this figure reaching 46 per cent in the Far West. Anti-Semitism, it added, was much worse in the rural areas than in the industrial North-East.

FORTUNE's findings are supported by facts given in "Inside U.S.A.," John Gunther's latest "best seller," which, after declaring that "anti-negro prejudice is steeply rising" in the Far West, says that "the situation of the Jews in the Middle West . . . . is peculiar. The plain fact of the matter is that they are, in effect, segregated."

A special examination of "U.S. Anti-Semitism," by Bruce Bliven, appearing in the NEW REPUBLIC, declares that anti-Semitism—"a powerful force in the U.S. to-day"—is "daily growing more serious," and is, "according to competent observers, far stronger in certain respects than it was in Germany when Hitler came to power."

Since the end of the war, anti-Semitism has also become more outspoken. One reason given is that the anti-Semites, who were formerly suspect among their fellows because of their obvious Fascist kinship, are free to be vocal now that the "Hitlerist" stigma has disappeared. And, as the NEW REPUBLIC article puts it, for every individual who publicly rails against the Jews, there are many hundreds who quietly practise forms of anti-Semitism.

It is this "tacit, silent conspiracy against the Jews," says the NEW REPUBLIC, that is the most important aspect of the whole matter, "the hardest

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to fight, the one that constitutes the greatest ultimate peril to democratic principles." According to its survey, the publication of "Christians only" advertisements in newspapers has trebled since the end of the war (in New York, there is a State law banning such advertisements); and known cases where Jews have been refused employment on racial and religious grounds have doubled in States where such practice is permitted.

Organised "hate-groups" are less active than before the war; but—as the NEW REPUBLIC points out—the reason is one that should cause apprehension rather than the reverse. "They are fighting a little less hard, because they no longer need to; in a disturbing degree, they consider their battle is won . . . with many liberals and progressives everywhere terrorised into silence, with witch-hunts and loyalty tests accepted almost without popular protests, we have gone a long distance on the road these proto-Fascists recommend."

In confirmation of the NEW REPUBLIC's fears come events at the "Hollywood investigation" by the Congressional Committee in Washington. There has been evidence of anti-Semitism in the proceedings. One of the "defendants," Albert Maltz, was attacked at the Committee as being "un-American" on account of his alleged association with NEW CURRENTS, a magazine dealing with Jewish matters, and with the Jewish People's Fraternal Order, and the American Committee of Jewish Writers, Artists, and Scientists.

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WOMEN'S CAMPAIGN FOR REFUGEES

Emergency Drive to be Launched

An emergency drive is to be launched by the Women's Campaign of the Central British Fund in the next three months, it was announced by Mrs. Simon Jacobs, at the annual meeting of the Women's Campaign at 33, Seymour Place, London, on Wednesday of last week. She expressed confidence that they would reach their total of £100,000.

In an appeal for greater efforts, the Rev. I. H. Levy said that when he had read in THE JEWISH CHRONICLE that there was a possibility of the withdrawal of the relief units from Germany, it came to him as a fearful shock. If, because of a few miserable thousand pounds, those young people were to be removed, it would result in a lasting scandal to the community.

Miss Miriam Moses, J.P., gave a report of the past year's work. The total amount raised was almost £20,000. They had to go on with their work, Miss Moses said, until every man, woman, and child in a camp was settled happily and well in some place where they could live a normal life.

Representatives of groups from every part of the country gave reports of their work.

In the absence of the President of the Women's Campaign, Mrs. Lionel de Rothschild, the Hon. Mrs. Peter Samuel presided.

JEWS' COLLEGE UNION

The following were elected at a recent meeting of the Jews' College Students' Union: Rabbi Kopul Kahana, Hon. President; Messrs. Alan W. Miller, President; A. S. Chaitowitz, Treasurer; and Sidney R. Katz, Secretary.

CONFERENCE ON HUMAN RIGHTS

Discrimination in the Empire

[*From our Special Correspondent*]

Over a hundred delegates will attend the National Conference on Human Rights, to be held by the National Council for Civil Liberties in the St. Pancras Town Hall this week-end.

The conference will carry on the work begun by the International Conference on Human Rights last June. It will confine itself to aspects of discrimination, now being considered by the United Nations, which exist in British territories.

There will be three main topics: discrimination on grounds of race, religion, language, and nationality; anti-Semitism; and discrimination on grounds of sex.

Messrs. D. N. Pritt and Maurice Orbach are among Members of Parliament who will attend, and there will be delegates from Trade Unions, and national Jewish organisations, such as the Trades Advisory Council, the Workers' Circle, and the World Jewish Congress.

LONDON LABOUR AND "BRITISH LEAGUE".

The London Labour Party has passed a resolution "viewing with concern" disturbances provoked at recent meetings of the British League of Ex-Service Men and Women, and calling on the Home Secretary to use his powers to the full.

HACKNEY DEPUTATION

A deputation representing the citizens of Hackney is shortly to call on the Home Secretary asking him to "end the present policy of providing Fascist and/or anti-Semitic organisations and persons with the mass police protection which alone enables them to hold meetings in face of the growing indignation of the people of Hackney."

"BRITISH LEAGUE" MAN BOUND OVER

John Warburton, a member of the British League of Ex-Service Men and Women, was on Monday bound over for twelve months on a charge of having used insulting words and behaviour at a meeting at Clapham Common on November 2.

Two other men, Victor Cestrelli and Jack Renak, who appeared on a similar charge, were remanded for a week.

COMFORTS FOR D.P.s

N. London Youth Council's Help

The first of a series of "drives" for clothing and comforts for displaced persons in Germany, Austria, and Italy, was organised last Sunday under the auspices of the North London Youth Council of the Central British Fund. Mr. S. Ziegel, Chairman of the Council, read letters from relief workers in the camps, pointing out the dire need for warm articles for the forthcoming winter months.

Over thirty sacks of clothing, weighing more than a ton, were donated. The gifts included a quantity of babies' wear, blankets and shoes, and winter garments of all kinds, as well as soap and toys and games.

Thanks were expressed to Messrs. Ronald Gill and Myer Richman, who lent their cars, and to Mr. Simon Kritz, Treasurer of the North London Council, and Mr. S. Goodman, and all the workers. The drives are to be continued at fortnightly intervals, and more workers are needed. Offers of help should be addressed to Mr. Jack Shapiro, Organiser of the North London Youth Council, at the offices of the Central British Fund, Woburn House, W.C.1.

HEBREW TEACHERS UNION

The claim that the National Union of Hebrew Teachers of Great Britain and Ireland was raising the status of Hebrew teachers in the British Isles was made by Mr. A. Schapiro, Chairman of the London branch of the Union, at a meeting of members and friends of the branch, held last week at 60, Darenth Road, N., by permission of Mr. and Mrs. Melnick. Miss B. J. Barwell, Chairman of the Union, presided.

Impressions of the World Conference on Jewish Education, recently held in Jerusalem, were given by Miss Melnick, Miss Strizower, and Miss Rubin.

KASHER CHEESE POINTS CHANGE

Among the changes in points values announced by the Minister of Food, to take effect as from last Sunday, is the raising of the number of points needed for 1 lb. of kasher cheese from 4 to 12.

A LADIES' GUILD of the Beth Hamedrash, Montague Road, Dalston, E.8, was started at a recent meeting. The following were among those elected: Mesdames N. Lerner, Chairman; G. Greenspan, Vice-Chairman; G. Samuels, Treasurer; and Shaffer, Secretary.

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HOME SECTION

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IT is on record that a lady who had difficulty in obtaining a stall at a theatre at which one of Mr. Bernard Shaw's plays was being performed, produced her ration book and proceeded to offer her tea ration for the month, plus her soap and half her personal sweets points, in exchange for the desired place in the theatre.

Perhaps it would have been an even greater compliment to vegetarian Mr. Shaw if the lady had offered her meat ration.

The true relative needs of the human race could be gauged from its demand and its willingness to forgo for spiritual and intellectual delights, those limited material blessings which still remain to us.

Fleshpots of Egypt

Time and again, the choice of the fleshpots of Egypt or the dignity of a nationhood conceived in the iron grimness of the Sinai desert has been presented to the Jewish people. And every time they have chosen the hard way. Every time they have given up their rations to enjoy those spiritual advantages which they know are of so much more lasting and real value. There have been grumblers and falterers, no doubt. There have been murmurings and even downright rebellion by those incapable of making the higher choice. But that the majority of our people are made of sterner stuff than the noisy, and often more articulate, minority is proved by a no less significant and miraculous event than the Jewish survival.

The social aspirant who discovers in his Judaism a bar to his advancement, has, in some cases, preferred the short cut to success. Too often he has been demoted for his pains to a place much lower than he would have occupied had he only remained true to his traditions. And by a true and clear instinct and a prophetic vision, the great mass of the Jewish people know and understand that if to be a Jew spells sometimes disfavour, sometimes unfair discrimination, and sometimes downright persecution or brutality, it spells also a whole universe of imperishable riches that transcend and eclipse the world where such hardships are endured.

The Jewish housewife who, in the face of all the present difficulties, and despite the discouragement she so often encounters, still maintains her Jewish hearth and home, engages in the same kind of barter as did the lady who made such a bee-line for a stall to see the Shaw play. She gives up, either willingly or because there is no choice for her, many of the immediate advantages she sees around her, and she secures, thereby, a portion of that which will satisfy and nourish herself and her family long after the mere foodstuffs have perished and gone.

The lady in the story is alleged to have included her soap ration in the bargain for her theatre ticket. Apparently she was not a Jewish housewife. For it has also been part of Jewish religious instruction, as well as being part of Jewish life, to insist on frequent and obligatory washing by everybody.

In other faiths, this was not always so. Monks, in the Middle Ages, often went unwashed over periods of many, many months as a part of their penance. No such lapse from cleanliness, which has always been placed by Jewish custom near to Godliness, has ever, at any time in their long history, been applicable to the Jewish people. They have, in fact, set a precedent and an example to all by their custom of washing frequently as a religious rite. It is more than likely that the unlovely term, "dirty Jew," has its origin in the fact that the Jew washed frequently in public at a time when nobody else ever dreamed of doing so, even in private. Hence the deduction that he did so not because he was clean, but because he was dirty. Jewish housewives regard the cleanliness of their homes with no less religious fervour than the most pious Jew considers his ritual washing.

CAREERS ADVICE

The Ministry of Education and the Institution of Electrical Engineers jointly are prepared to approve schemes submitted by establishments for Further Education for the award of certificates and diplomas under approved conditions.

Part-time courses are classified as follows: Senior, if they are adapted to the needs of students who have completed a suitable preparatory course for part-time study, or who have had full-time continuous education up to the age of 16; Advanced, if they are adapted to the needs of older students and aim at reaching, within the limits of the subjects covered, the standard of university work.

The full-time courses for the award of diplomas are similarly classified as: Senior, to suit students who have had full-time continuous education to the age of 16; Advanced, for students who have had full-time continuous education to the age of 17 or 18, or for those who have been for two years in regular employment with concurrent instruction at senior or advanced part-time courses.

Correspondence in connection with the above-mentioned scheme should be addressed to the Institution of Electrical Engineers, Savoy Place, Victoria Embankment, W.C.2.

It is also announced that agreement has been reached by the Ministry with the Institution of Mechanical Engineers and the Institution of Chemical Engineers providing for the supplementary endorsement of Ordinary and Higher National Certificates in Mechanical Engineering in respect of special supplementary courses in Chemical Engineering, and of Higher National Certificates, for countersignature by the Institution of Chemical Engineers.

Jewish Cookery

HELPING OUT POTATOES

Here are a few suggestions for "substitutes" now that potatoes are in short supply. Barley, macaroni, and haricot beans are all good, but serve them in addition to and not in place of a green vegetable.

Barley

Barley 4 oz., water 1 qt., leek or onions 6 oz., dripping 1 oz., salt and pepper, vegetable extract.

SOAK the barley in the water overnight, turn into a saucepan, add a little vegetable extract and salt to taste, and simmer gently for 2 hours. Slice the leeks thinly and fry a golden brown in the dripping, add them to the barley, and simmer for 15 minutes. If available, a few skinned and sliced tomatoes can be added or a spoonful of tomato sauce.

Haricot Beans

Cover beans with tepid water and leave to soak for 24 hours. They can be cooked (in the water in which they were soaked) either on top of the stove or in a casserole in the oven and will take about 2 hours.

Baked Beans. Soaked haricots ½ lb., sugar or golden syrup 2 teaspoonfuls, mustard 1 teaspoonful, tomato sauce 2 tablespoonfuls, salt and pepper.

PUT all ingredients into a casserole with sufficient water to cover the beans. Cover and bake in a moderate oven for 2 hours.

Savoury Suet Pudding

Selfraising flour 8 oz., chopped suet or cooking fat 2-3 oz., 1 leek, pinch of mixed herbs, salt and pepper, cold water.

SIEVE flour, salt, and pepper into a bowl, add suet or rub in fat, then add the herbs and finely chopped leek. Mix to a fairly slack dough with cold water, turn into a greased basin, and steam for 2 hours.

Fatless Dumplings

Sieve ½ lb. plain flour, 3 level teaspoonfuls baking powder, and 1 level teaspoonful salt into a basin and mix to a rather soft dough with cold water. Cut into eight equal parts, roll into balls, and dust with flour. Boil in a large saucepan of fast-boiling water for 15 minutes, keeping the pan covered. Then drain and pull open the tops with two forks to let out the steam and keep light. Pour over leek sauce and serve at once.

Leek Sauce. Slice 2 leeks finely and fry in 1 oz. dripping till brown and soft, then stir in a tablespoonful of flour, and when this is brown add gradually ½ pt. stock or vegetable water, season to taste, add a few drops gravy browning, and simmer for 5 minutes.

THE third post-war session of the Dollis Hill Synagogue Adult Study Circle started recently, the course of study being "History of Jewish Folk Lore."

DR. BRASCH FOR SOUTH AFRICA

Rabbi Dr. R. Brasch, Minister of the North London Progressive Synagogue for the past ten years, and of the Southgate and Enfield Progressive Synagogue, which he founded in 1944, is shortly leaving for South Africa, where he has been appointed Rabbi of the Springs and District Jewish Reform Congregation, and will carry out "pioneer" work over the whole of the East Rand.

Last year, Rabbi Brasch went for six months, on behalf of the Union of Liberal and Progressive Synagogues, to Eire, to help in establishing the Dublin Progressive Synagogue.

Much of his work in North London was concerned with the fight against anti-Semitism. He lectured weekly to non-Jewish audiences, and started a Jewish-Christian Luncheon Group at his synagogue in Amhurst Park.

"Flying Bomb Padre"

During the war, in addition to his ministerial duties, Dr. Brasch acted as Padre to the Civil Defence (eventually being named by the people "the Flying Bomb Padre"), visiting the shelters nightly, and the places where bombs had dropped in the Borough. He was appointed Padre to numerous pre-Service units, such as Butler Street Girls' Club G.T.C., Hackney Boys' Club Cadets, and the Stamford Hill Social Centre, of which he was also a manager. He sent communications regularly to over 600 members of the Forces.

Rabbi Brasch's publications include "The Midrash Shir ha'Shirim Zuta," "The Mumar in Rabbinic Literature," and "A Little Book of Comfort for Jewish People" (in collaboration with the Hon. Lily H. Montagu, O.B.E.).

UNIVERSITY NEWS

Mr. Salo Lampel, of Gloucester Court, Golders Green Road, has had the degree of M.Sc. conferred on him as an internal student by the University of London.

The following passes at Glasgow University are announced: M.B. and Ch.B., Fourth Professional Examination, Medical Jurisprudence: F. Fischbacher, E. P. Grossfeld, B. Joels, S. Morris, L. Rosengarde, W. Sniper, and H. I. Tankel.

Mr. E. G. Schwartzman has received the Part I Diploma in Public Administration at Trinity College, Dublin. Mr. Schwartzman is on the Council of the Dublin Talmud Torah.

Sports and Clubs

A.J.Y. RELIGIOUS DIRECTOR

Mr. H. Oldman Appointed

Mr. Harry Oldman, a schoolmaster at the Ealing County Boys' School for the past 17 years and Principal of the Ealing Synagogue Hebrew Classes, has been appointed Religious Director of the Association for Jewish Youth. He will take up his duties on January 1.

The A.J.Y. Religious Advisory Committee, under whose guidance Mr. Oldman will work, is composed of representatives from the United Synagogue, the Federation of Synagogues, the Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue, the Liberal Synagogue, and the Association of Synagogues of Great Britain.

SERVED OLD BOYS' CLUB 27 YEARS

Mr. H. S. Schildkraut Honoured

A presentation of a radio set to Mr. H. S. Schildkraut, who, until his resignation last year, had served for 27 years as Treasurer of the Old Boys' Club, Mile End Road, E., was made by Mr. E. M. Joseph, C.B.E., the President, at the half-yearly meeting of the club on Sunday. Mrs. Schildkraut was presented with a diamond wristlet watch.

Tributes to Mr. Schildkraut, who is a senior Vice-President of the club, were paid by the President, and Mr. F. Renton.

The J. W. Solomon Memorial Prize, which is awarded annually to a club member who gives the club the best support, was presented by the President to Mr. S. Besser.

The Treasurer, Mr. S. Brief, presenting a statement of accounts for the half-year ending September 30, 1947, said there was an excess of £74 of income over expenditure.

AWAY TEAMS DO WELL

A.J.Y. Football

Away teams had a good day in the A.J.Y. football league games on Sunday, eight gaining victories and two holding their hosts to a draw. Amhurst Juniors were the only team to get double figures.

The results were: Seniors: West Central 0, S.W. Essex 0; Southbourne 0, Oxford 3; Old Victorians 5, Old Boys' Club 0; Hackney 1, Primrose 2.

Under 19: Ilford 4, Stepney 2; Primrose 4, Brady 3; Victoria 1, Amhurst 6; Hackney 3, Cambridge 4; West Central 0, Oxford 5.

Under 16: Stepney 1, Stamford Hill 6; Clapton 1, Amhurst 12; Brady (B) 3, Ilford 2; Hackney 4, Victoria 0; Oxford 3, Brady 3.

North-West Region: Dollis Hill 1, Harrow 6; Golders Green 5, I.J.S. 2. Friendly: North-West 5, Primrose 4.

The results of the A.J.Y. girls netball league were: Clapton 25, Oxford 0; Hackney 20, Amhurst 7; Brady 4, Stepney 3.

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP FOR CRICKLEWOOD

A reception to inaugurate the Cricklewood Youth Fellowship of the United Synagogue was held at the Cricklewood Youth Club, Cricklewood Synagogue, London, last week. The hosts were Rabbi M. and Mrs. Landy.

Mr. Harry A. Monat, who presided, said that the United Synagogue Welfare Committee was now exerting a great amount of its energy on behalf of youth.

Mr. Alfred Woolf, Vice-Chairman of the United Synagogue Welfare Committee, said that youth had been neglected in the past and he expressed the hope that the Youth Fellowship Scheme would make up for the defects.

Rabbi Landy declared that youth must be prepared to take up leadership.

The decision to form a Youth Fellowship group to be attached to the East London Synagogue, Rectory Square, Stepney Green, E., was taken at a recent meeting.

SHEFFIELD MACCABI'S BUSY SPORTS SEASON

[*From our Correspondent*—SHEFFIELD]

Sheffield Maccabi have been having a busy season of sports activities. Having finished second in the Sheffield "C" Cricket League, Maccabi's cricket team have been invited to join the "A" League.

The club's table-tennis section, which runs two teams in the Sheffield and District Division, have elected Mr. S. Rosenberg, Captain; Mr. N. Leon, Organising Secretary; and Mr. H. Kalman, Assistant Secretary.

A swimming section has recently been formed with Mr. M. Newman as Chairman; Mr. D. Swycher, Hon. Secretary; and Mrs. N. Leon, Treasurer. The club meets weekly, and has four coaches.

The dramatic section, at a recent meeting, elected Mr. A. Levy, Chairman; Miss R. Newman Hon. Secretary, and Dr. Raie Graham, Treasurer.

THE prize awarded to Gerald Shamitz at the annual meeting of the Ilford Youth Club was the Gerald Gold Award.

J.C. CHILDREN'S SECTION

YOUNG ISRAEL

NOVEMBER 14, 1947—KISLEV 1, 5708

DO YOU KNOW?

By AUNTIE

WHEN Deborah had the Neshef at her house a couple of weeks ago, she had prepared a game that I thought you might like also to play. She had cut a number of postcards into half; on one side, she printed legibly a question, and on the back she gave the answer. A Question Master was appointed. The first person to give the correct answer was given the card. At the end of the game, each one counted his or her cards collected. Jack, with twelve cards, was found to be the winner.

These were the questions:

1. When do we recite the longest Benschen? (Grace After Meals).
2. On which three occasions do we take three Sefarim from the Ark?
3. On which Minor Festival is Hallel said?
4. Before which Rosh Chodesh do we not say the special prayer on the preceding Shabbat?
5. What is the difference between Hagbah and Galilah? (Mitzvot connected with the Sefer).
6. How many New Years are there in the Jewish calender? Name them.
7. Which fast days are observed from evening to evening?
8. Which book of the Bible does not contain God's name even once?
9. Name three of the Maccabean brothers.
10. Which Rabbi escaped from Jerusalem in a coffin?
11. Which five books form the Torah?
12. Who were the wives of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob?
13. Who were the two Hannahs?
14. Who was the only woman to be a Judge?
15. What does the word Rashi stand for?
16. How many verses are there in the shortest Psalm, and in the longest?
17. How many Megillahs are there, and when are they read?
18. Which wall of the Temple still partly stands?
19. What was Samson's riddle?
20. When do we wear a Tallis in the evening, and when do we not wear one in the morning?
21. On which day does the Haftara immediately follow the Sidra in the Bible?
22. How is Kasher meat treated at home.
23. How many Temples were there, and who built them?
24. Who wrote the words of the Hatikvah?

[The answers are in column 4.]

YOUNG ISRAEL LETTER BOX

"AUNTIE'S" CORRESPONDENCE

A hearty welcome is extended to: Ann Boyars (Salford), Anthony Hyatt (Tredegar), Maureen Mack (Leeds), Ivor Selby (Forest Gate), and Frank Silver (Hackney).

ANN BOYARS, Salford.—Any words that are found in a dictionary can be used. I do thank you very much for your help, and hope to have a longer letter next time.

SARAH DAVIS, Aldgate.—I am always glad to hear from old members, so please write more frequently.

"S.A.H."—If all sent such "mites," I should be very happy. Thank you so much.

ANTHONY HYATT, Tredegar.—You forgot to mention her name, and whether she was an active member. Let me know if your request is granted. Your gift in memory of your dear uncle is greatly appreciated.

"F.L.," St. John's Wood.—I am very grateful to you for your contribution to our special fund.

MAUREEN MACK, Leeds.—You can write as often as you please, send in an entry for the competition, and enclose any of your pocket-money if it burns a hole in your pocket.

ANTHONY L. MELNIKOFF, Edgware.—If my mental picture is correct, I quite agree with the rest of the family. I was very interested to hear of the projected meeting of the Three Graces. It is a pity that I have mislaid my invisible cloak, otherwise I would have accepted the invitation.

PAMELA MELNIKOFF, Edgware.—I hope that you will show her all the wonderful places that she has never seen, and have a truly happy time together. Do not forget to send me a snap of all of you to add to my collection. I liked the poem, but found the voice rather monotonous. Were you there?

FAYE MEYERSTONE, Salford.—I hope that you were able to obtain a card. It was good of you to send a donation to our "No Limit Fund."

ESTELLE ROSENBERG, Manchester.—I regret to tell you that you have omitted a very great number. I am glad that you think the certificate bright and colourful.

TAMARA SKLAR, Clapton.—You might remind him that he can celebrate the occasion by contributing to our special fund, especially as he is a member of the League. It was thoughtful of you to enclose the stamps, which I was pleased to have.

MARIAN SOLOMONS, Birmingham.—I was delighted to have your contribution.

GIFTS TO FUNDS

NO LIMIT FUND

JEWISH CHILD'S DAY DECEMBER 14

Ann Boyars, 2/-; "S.A.H.," 5/-; Anthony Hyatt, "in loving memory of Uncle Issy," 5/-; Shirley Kaplin, 5/-; "F.L.," 5/-; Faye Meyerstone, 5/-; Tamara Sklar, 1/-; Marian Solomons, 2/6; Naomi Joy Solomons, 2/6; Alan Keith and Estelle Josephine Wollenberg, "in loving memory of their dear grandfather," 10/-.

Total to date: £41 8s. 9d.

CHANUCAH COMPETITION

SENIORS. Prizes will be awarded for a drawing, painting, or design of a Menorah.

JUNIORS. Prizes will be given for the largest number of words of four or more letters made from JUDAS MACCABEUS and ANTIOCHUS. All words must be numbered; handwriting and neatness will be taken into account.

RULES

1. Only members of the League may compete.
2. Full names, addresses, and ages must be given.
3. Entries should be received by December 4.

THE ANSWERS

1. On Shabbat Chanucah, if it is also Rosh Chodesh.
2. (a) Simchat Torah; (b) Shabbat Rosh Chodesh Nisan, if it is also Shabbat Hachodesh; (c) Shabbat Chanucah, if it is also Rosh Chodesh.
3. Hallel is only read on Chanucah (and not on Purim).
4. Before Rosh Chodesh Tishri (Rosh Hashana).
5. Hagbah means raising the Sefer for the congregation to see, and Galilah means rolling it up.
6. There are four New Years: (a) Tishri, for the beginning of the Creation; (b) Nisan, when we were released from captivity; (c) 15th Shevat, New Year for Trees; (d) 1st Ellul, New Year for Animals.
7. Yom Kippur and Tisha B'Av.
8. The book of Esther (read on Purim).
9. Judas, Simon, Eliezer, Jonathan, Jochanon.
10. Rabbi Jochanon ben Zakkai.
11. Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, and Deuteronomy.
12. Sarah, Rebekah, Rachel, and Leah.
13. Hannah, mother of Samuel; Hannah, mother of seven martyred sons.
14. Deborah.
15. Rabbi Sholomo Itzhak.
16. Two (Psalm 117); 176 (Psalm 119).
17. Five: Song of Songs, read on Pesach; Ruth, on Shavuot; Lamentations, on Tisha B'Av; Ecclesiastes, on Succot; Esther, on Purim.
18. The Western Wall, often known as the Wailing Wall.
19. "Out of the eater came forth meat, Out of the strong came forth sweetness."
20. A Tallis is worn on Yom Kippur evening, but not on Tisha B'Av morning.
21. On Simchat Torah, when we finish Deuteronomy and read the first chapter of Joshua as Haftara.
22. It is kept half an hour in water and an hour in salt.
23. Three: (a) Solomon; (b) Ezra and Nehemiah; (c) Herod.
24. Naphtali Herz Imber.

NOTICE.—*All communications in connection with "Young Israel" must be addressed to "Auntie,"* THE JEWISH CHRONICLE 88, *Chancery Lane, London, W.C.2*

YOUNG ISRAEL LEAGUE

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

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Chief Rabbinate Conference

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bodies other than the United Synagogue towards the maintenance of that Office could scarcely be relied on, as decisions taken to-day could readily be reversed or withdrawn to-morrow.

The fact that the United Synagogue had borne to date the brunt of the financial burden in respect of that Office was indeed a measure of the great service they had rendered to Anglo-Jewry, but it did not necessarily follow that because they had been in the past the sole trustees of a great responsibility they should always continue to be so. The Federation, and other communities in the Provinces and elsewhere had grown apace.

The Federation's offer to contribute £1,000 per annum was a token of their desire to share in a great communal responsibility. They hoped that other communities would likewise make a contribution in accordance with their "ability to pay."

Democratic Principle

The fear expressed by Sir Robert Waley Cohen, said Mr. Turner, that the Federation could not be relied on to carry out its commitments was simply a device to divert the unwary from the main issue before them—the principle of democratic representation. There were ways and means of framing a legal instrument that would be binding on the Federation and on all other communities that would no doubt be willing to participate in the maintenance of the Chief Rabbinate.

On behalf of the Federation of Synagogues, Mr. Turner submitted the following proposals for consideration:

(1) That the cost and responsibility of the Chief Rabbinate shall be shared by the whole community, each synagogue body to be invited to make a contribution in accordance with its ability to pay.

(2) That this Conference appoints a Convening Committee to call a Conference representative of all synagogal bodies and independent synagogues wishing to accept the authority of the Chief Rabbi and the financial responsibility of his Office.

(3) That such a Conference shall be composed of democratically elected representatives based upon the membership strength of the communities concerned.

(4) That this representative Conference shall elect Committees as enumerated in item 5 of the agenda and appoint an Electoral College.

Mr. Fishman (Grimsby) moved that the committee be increased to 21, to include two representatives of the smaller provincial communities which were not otherwise represented on that committee.

Mr. Bromberger (Newcastle) said he thought the North-East coast, with its fairly large Jewish area of communal activities, had a right to have a say on this committee.

Looking to the Future

The Hon. Ewen E. Montagu, K.C., Vice-President of the United Synagogue, said they did not want to look at the past, as the representative of the Federation had said. If they did, it might be extremely awkward for the Federation. It was because the Federation had—and he thought rightly—claimed at the present moment that it had turned over a new leaf and had become an established and responsible body that they wanted, if they could, to persuade that conference not to look at the past but at the future.

Mr. Fishman's amendment to increase the committee's number to 21 was lost when voted on.

Mr. Janus Cohen moved an amendment to increase the number on the committee to 22, the three additional seats to be allocated to the Federation of Synagogues.

Alderman A. Moss (Manchester) seconded this amendment, which was supported by Mr. A. M. Hurwitz (Leeds).

Mr. Aaron Wright (a former President of the Federation of Synagogues), although he made it clear that he was not speaking on the Federation's behalf, said he thought he was expressing the view of the great body of that conference when he said that, welcome as a consultative body would be, it would not be in accordance with the wishes of the conference or of the community as a whole if any endeavour were made in any way to limit or to reduce the prerogatives and powers of the Chief Rabbi.

On the question of representation on the committee, after stressing the necessity of preserving the unity of the community in its support of the Chief Rabbinate, he said that if the Federation were given a representation of five, he did not think they would be able to complain that they were unjustly treated.

Dr. Myer Fisher stressed the point that they wanted a Chief Rabbi who would unite all the traditional forces within this community and the larger community, and because of this he was rather surprised to find in the allocation of delegates there was no mention of either Jews' College or of the Yeshivot.

Committee Enlarged

Sir Robert said that although he was rather appalled at the suggestion that a committee of 25 should deal with what was largely a detailed study of a difficult question, if it would contribute to the happiness of everybody, he was prepared to do violence to his enthusiasm for efficiency by suggesting that change. (Loud applause.) This would mean that the Federation would have five representatives; the Dominions, one; the Provinces, seven (the additional one being for the North-Eastern area of England); and the United Synagogue 12.

Mr. Janus Cohen and Alderman Moss thereupon withdrew their amendment.

The original motion, amended in accordance with the numbers above, was put and was carried unanimously.

Mr. A. M. Hurwitz moved, and Sir Maurice Bloch (Glasgow) seconded:

"That item 6—to consider the question of voting rights—be postponed until after the Committee appointed under item 5 had reported back to the Conference."

The proposal was carried.

ENCYCLOPEDIA HEBRAICA

[*By a* JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*]

The importance of the Encyclopedia Hebraica, now being produced to the development of Hebrew culture, was stressed by Professor Norman Bentwich and the Rev. M. Spira, when they addressed a meeting at the house of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Howitt recently.

Professor Bentwich recalled that 40 years ago, when he first visited Palestine, there was one small Hebrew periodical in circulation. So rapid and widespread had been the development both of culture and of the Hebrew language in Palestine that they were now standing on the threshold of the publication of a colossal Encyclopedia, the first two or three volumes of which were already in print.

Mr. Spira said there had been encyclopedias on Jewish matters, but this was to be a universal encyclopedia in which sections on Palestine and Jewish affairs would be included.

Mr. M. Szejnbaum, who is in England on behalf of the Committee publishing the Encyclopedia, spoke of the widespread interest of the Yishuv in the work.

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Obituary

MR. JOSEPH MELLER

Hospital and Communal Worker

The death occurred on Sabbath, at Hove, of Mr. Joseph Meller, O.B.E., the well-known communal and charitable worker, in his 86th year.

The charity to which Mr. Meller gave his longest and most devoted service was the Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road. Even in recent years, not excluding the period when London was under enemy attack, he paid regular visits to the Hospital from Brighton. He was its Vice-President and previously (when it was called the Queen's Hospital) its Treasurer, and Chairman of the House Committee.

A Royal Tribute

When the King, as Duke of York, presided at the Hospital's annual meeting in 1934 he said: "I cannot let this occasion pass without reminding the Governors of the Hospital that Mr. Joseph Meller has completed forty years of unbroken voluntary service in the interests of the institution. He has been a member of the committee for thirty-seven years, and for the past twenty years Chairman of the House Committee. Such public service is a monument of desire and determination to give help where help is needed."

For many years Mr. Meller was a member of the Council and the Executive Committee of the Anglo-Jewish Association, and was one of the A.J.A.'s representatives on the Board of Deputies from the year 1904. He was Chairman of the Board's Foreign Affairs Committee, and a member of the Shechita Committee.

In 1935, Mr. Meller accepted the Chairmanship of the United Polish Appeal, which was formed, under the auspices of the Board of Deputies, to raise £50,000 for the relief of Polish Jews. He was Chairman of the Portuguese Marranos Committee in London.

Mr. MICHAEL HOLLANDER (Newark, N.J.), 63, was chairman and organiser of many charitable appeals and organisations in Newark, N.J., and in Greater New York. Mr. Hollander, who was a keen Zionist and attended the last Congress at Basle, was born in London.

ILLUMINATED HEBREW BIBLES

Development of an Art

[*By a* JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*]

Illustrations of beautiful early Jewish art were shown by Mr. Joseph Leveen, when he gave an address on Hebrew Illuminated Bibles in the second of a series of three lectures at the Liberal Jewish Synagogue, N.W., last Sunday.

Rabbinical Judaism, said Mr. Leveen, had regulated every detail connected with the copying of the Pentateuch and other portions of the Hebrew Bible required for the service of the synagogue. No such uniformity was imposed upon codices (manuscripts in book form) made for private individuals. A great deal of latitude was allowed which made possible the subsequent development of artistically produced Hebrew Bibles.

The earliest examples hailed from the East and the decorations often reflected the styles prevalent in Moslem countries. The earliest dated illuminated Hebrew Bible comprised fragments of a Pentateuch with a date corresponding to C.E. 930. One of the earliest of Western illuminated Bibles was not actually dated, but from the inclusion of calendar tables, could reasonably be assumed to be approximately from the years C.E. 1277-8. The name of the scribe was Benjamin-ha-Sopher. The profusion and excellence of the ornamentation was remarkable.

The Rev. Leslie Edgar presided.

MISSING RELATIVES

Inquiries have been received by THE JEWISH CHRONICLE with regard to the following Missing Relatives, etc.

Nuchym Ela Herszhajn, about 65, son of Abram-Jacob and Hesa, is sought by Heivet Herszhajn, Lodz.

Jozefa Hinzer (née Dziulik), 67, daughter of Karol and Teofila, and Franz Hinze, 70, are sought by Stan. Mroozowski, in Wrexham.

Mizzi Horowitz (née Fodor) and husband Tobias, whose last known address was 211, Goldhurst Terrace, London, N.W.6, are sought by Alfred Fodor, Budapest.

Elie Kapulis (or Kopulis) and wife, Rivel (née Dratownik), children, Isaac, 21, born in Paris, and Feige-Fanja, 20, are sought by Mr. Dratownik, Lodz.

Markus Katz, in London since 1938, formerly in Vienna, is sought by Mania Katz (née Locherowa), Poland.

Tana (Daniel) Segal, Bialystock, brother, Yona Segal, Brest-Litow, brother, Mordechai Segal, Suwalk, Mosha Chaim Segal, Druskeniki, Zlata Yucht, Bialystock, Kala Capchuk, Matziow, and Dwora Goldstern, Brest-Litow, are sought by relatives.

Information with regard to the above will be gladly received at the offices of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE, Newspaper House, 20, High Street, High Wycombe, Bucks, and duly transmitted to the proper quarters.

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CINEMAS

ACADEMY, Oxford St. (Ger. 2981) The Film of the Banned Play, **"TOBACCO ROAD"**(A) Directed by John Ford.

CARLTON, Haymarket Alexander Korda presents **"AN IDEAL HUSBAND"**(A), with Paulette Goddard, Michael Wilding, Diana Wynyard. (Tech.) At 12.0, 2.10, 4.20, 6.30, 8.40

CARLTON, Tottenham Ct. Rd. (Mus. 8150) Premiere **"LE VOILE BLEU"**(A), with Gaby Morlay. 2.20, 5.10, 8.15.

CURZON (Gro. 3737) International Prize Film, **"TO LIVE IN PEACE"**(A Lond.) Aldo Fabrizi. 2.0, 4.25, 7.0, 9.25.

DOMINION, Tottenham Ct. Rd. Com. Nov. 16 **"THE BIG HEART"**(U). **"THE BLACK SWAN"**(A) (Weekdays only). Etc.

EMPIRE, Leic. Sq. Cont. 10 a.m. to 11 p.m. **"GONE WITH THE WIND"**(A) (in Technicolor) Daily at 10.30, 2.45 and 7.10

EMPIRE, Mile End Nov. 17, 6 days. Robert Mitchum, Teresa Wright, **"Pursued"**(A) Alastair Sim, **"Let The People Sing"**(U)

GAUMONT, Haymarket (Whi. 6655) Sabu in **"THE END OF THE RIVER"**(A) **"HIGH CONQUEST"**(A). News, etc.

GAUMONT STATE, Kilburn Com. Nov. 17 Margaret Lockwood, Ian Hunter in **"THE WHITE UNICORN"**(A). News, etc.

GOLDERS GREEN LIDO Nov. 17, 7 days Katharine Hepburn, **"SONG OF LOVE"**(A) Chester Morris, **"BLIND SPOT"**(A)

GOLDERS GREEN REGAL Nov. 17, 6 days Burt Lancaster, Lizbeth Scott **"DESERT FURY"**(A) **"Dick Tracy versus Cueball"**(A)

HAMPSTEAD PLAYHOUSE (Pri. 6868) Mon. next: KATHARINE HEPBURN in **"SONG OF LOVE"**(U). 1.15, 3.45, 6.15, 8.45.

LEICESTER SQUARE TH. Jean Simmons, Ursula Jeans **"THE WOMAN IN THE HALL"**(A) At 11.20, 1.40, 3.50, 6.05, 8.20

LONDON PAVILION Wkdays. from 10 a.m. GEORGE RAFT, JOAN BLONDELL in **"CHRISTMAS EVE"**(A)

MARBLE ARCH PAVILION (May. 5112) Sabu in **"THE END OF THE RIVER"**(A) **"HIGH CONQUEST"**(A) News, etc.

NEW GALLERY, Regent Street (Reg. 8080) CHARLES CHAPLIN in **"MONSIEUR VERDOUX"**(A)

NEW VICTORIA (opp. Vic Stn.) Com. Nov. 16 **"THE BIG HEART"**(U). **"THE BLACK SWAN"**(A) (Weekdays only). Etc.

ODEON, Marble Arch (Pad. 8011) Myrna Loy, Fredric March, **"THE BEST YEARS OF OUR LIVES"**(A) Prog.: 10.0, 1.5, 4.10, 7.25

ODEON, Hendon Nov. 17, 6 days. Burt Lancaster, Lizbeth Scott, **"DESERT FURY"**(A). **"Dick Tracy versus Cueball"**(A)

ODEON, Swiss Cottage Nov. 17, 6 days. John Hodiak, Lizbeth Scott, **"Desert Fury"**(A) M. Conway, **"Dick Tracy versus Cueball"**(A)

PLAZA, Piccadilly Circus (Whi. 8944) Robert Young, Susan Hayward, Jane Greer **"THEY WON'T BELIEVE ME"**(A) Weekdays cont. 10 a.m. Sundays open 4 p.m.

RIALTO Jean Cocteau's **"LA BELLE ET LA BETE"**(A) English sub-titles. Progs. begin 12.35, 3.5, 5.35, 8.0. Sundays 4.30 and 7.0

SAVOY, Stoke Newington Nov. 17, 6 days. Robt. Mitchum, Teresa Wright, **"Pursued"**(A) Patricia Roc, **"Let The People Sing"**(U)

STAMFORD HILL REGENT Nov. 17, Margaret Lockwood, Ian Hunter, Dennis Price, Joan Greenwood, **"THE WHITE UNICORN"**(A)

STUDIO ONE (At 2.30, 5.55, 9.15). Michele Morgan, **"La Symphonie Pastorale"**(A) (Fr.) **"Quiet Week-end"**(A) at 12.55, 4.15, 7.40.

SUPER, Stamford Hill Nov. 17, 6 days, Cary Grant, Myrna Loy, **"Bachelor Knight"**(U) John Beal, Trudy Marshall, **"Key Witness"**(A)

TIVOLI, Strand (Tem. 5625) CHARLES CHAPLIN in **"MONSIEUR VERDOUX"**(A)

TROXY, Stepney Commencing Nov. 17 Jean Simmons in **"UNCLE SILAS"**(A) **"The Little Ballerina"**(U) News, etc.

WARNER, Leic. Sq. (Ger. 3423) Jack Carson & Robert Hutton in **"LOVE AND LEARN"**(U), with Martha Vickers, Janis Paige. Daily 10.55, 1.15, 3.50, 6.30, 9.5. Sundays 4.30, 7.20.

OPERAS & BALLET

CAMBRIDGE (Tem. 6056) Week com. Nov. 17 **DON GIOVANNI**, Mon., Sat., 7. **TOSCA**, Tues., 7. **RIGOLETTO**, Wed., 7, & Sat., 2.30. **BARBER**, Thurs., 7. **BOHEME**, Fri., 7.

CIRCUS

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THEATRES

ADELPHI Mon. to Fri. 7.0. St. 4.15 & 8.15. Mat. Tues. 2.30. Cochran's **"BLESS THE BRIDE."** GUETARY, Lizbeth Webb.

ALDWYCH (Tem. 6404) Ev. 7. W. & S. 2.30 **"PEACE IN OUR TIME,"** by NOEL COWARD.

ALEX, Stoke Newington (Cli. 1156/7) 7.30 (ex. Fri.) New Yiddish Theatre. ETTA TOPEL and MARK MARKOV in **"THE GREAT MISTAKE."** Sunday 'phone No.: Cli. 4379

APOLLO (Ger. 2663) Evgs. 7.0. Mats. Wed. & Sat. 2.30. EMLYN WILLIAMS in his own play, **"TRESPASS."** Mary Hinton.

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EMBASSY (Pri. 2211) Evgs. (ex. Mon.) 7.45. Th. 2.30. St. 4.45 & 7.45. (Sun. Club) 7.45. Keneth Kent in **"SAID THE SPIDER"**

FINSBURY PARK EMPIRE (Can. 2248) 6.25 & 8.40. Mon. next: Ernie Lotinga in **"OPEN THE DOOR RICHARD"** and full Company.

GARRICK (Tem. 4601) Nov. 18, 7.15. Sat. 2.30. Firth Shephard presents Jack Buchanan, **"CANARIES SOMETIMES SING."** C. Browne

GLOBE (Ger. 1592) Evgs. 7.0. Weds. 2.30. Sats. 5 & 8. J. Grenfell, E. Welch, M. Adrian in **"TUPPENCE COLOURED."** A Revue.

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HIPPODROME (Ger. 3272). 6.0 & 8.35. **"STARLIGHT ROOF."** Vic Oliver, Pat Kirkwood, Fred Emney, Melachrino's Music.

PALACE (Ger. 6834) Evgs. 7. Wd. Th. St. 2.30 Emile Littler's **"FINIAN'S RAINBOW"** "Enjoyed it enormously."—Sun. Chronicle

PALLADIUM (Ger. 7373) 6 and 8.30 **"HERE, THERE, AND EVERYWHERE."** New Musical with TOMMY TRINDER.

PHOENIX (Tem. 8611) Evenings at 7.0. Mats. Wed. & Sat. 2.30. Alastair Sim in **"DR. ANGELUS."** A new play by James Bridie.

PICCADILLY (Ger. 4506) 7.0. Wed. Sat. 2.30 **"OFF THE RECORD,"** by I. Hay & S. King-Hall. "Side-splittingly funny."—*Tatler.*

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ST. JAMES' (Whi. 3903) Last Week. Evgs. 7.0 Sat. 2.30. BOBBY HOWES in **"THE MAN IN THE STREET."** By Geoffrey Kerr.

ST. MARTIN'S 7.0. Sat. 5.15 & 8.0. Tues. 2.30 C. Mollison in **"THE GIRL WHO COULDN'T QUITE,"** by Leo Marks.

SAVILLE (Tem. 4011) Last Week. Evgs. 7. Sat. 2.30. **"NOOSE,"** by R. Llewellyn. Wed. next: Shephard's **"HONOUR AND OBEY"**

SAVOY Tem. 8888. 7.0. W., S., & Box. Day 2.30 Shephard's **"LIFE WITH FATHER."** Leslie Banks, Sophie Stewart. "A sheer delight."—D. Graph. "Won the hearts of us all."—D. Exp. "Theatre rang with laughter."—D. Mail. "A riot."—S. Chron. "Perfection—you should certainly see this play."—S. Disp.

STRAND (Tem. 2660) Evgs. 7.0. Thurs. & Sat. 2.30. Frances Day in **"SEPARATE ROOMS"** Hal Thompson, John Slater. Last 5 Weeks

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Entertainments

Theatre

TAMING OF THE SHREW

The Old Vic season opened at the New Theatre last week with John Burrell's production of "The Taming of the Shrew." It was a gay and lively evening. Mr. Burrell invented the very clever device of having Christopher Sly present on the stage during the whole play, and letting the players act to him. Except for the Sly of Bernard Miles there were, however, no outstanding performances. Trevor Howard as Petruchio was virile and amusing but too restrained; Patricia Burke, on the other hand, was sufficiently virago. Her quieter moments, especially her final speech, had great beauty. The triumph of the evening was the general team work of all the artists. Peter Copley, in the swaggering comedy of Tranio, dominated the stage; that stalwart, George Relph, gave a joyously ripe performance as Grumio. Renee Asherson, playing Bianca on a flippant note, brought fullness to the part, and George Rose, Mark Dignam, Harry Andrews, Cecil Winter and Kenneth Connor displayed the richness of this company. There were delightful settings by Kathleen Ankers. C.L.

Music

DON GIOVANNI

The New London Opera Company's latest production, "Don Giovanni," is well up to the high level of their previous productions. The costumes and settings are most effective. Leporello is finely acted by Italo Tajo, whose singing is also good. Bruce Boyce is a very dashing Don Giovanni, and Murray Dickie's singing of Don Ottavio is of a very pleasing quality. Donna Anna (Rachele Ravina) and Donna Elvira (Franca Sacchi) are adequate, while Daria Bayan is a very sweet Zerlina. F.S.

Miss Eileen Joyce will be soloist and Sir Malcolm Sargent will conduct the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra at an all-Tchaikovsky concert in aid of the funds of the Printers' Pension Corporation at the Albert Hall on December 6. The proceeds of the concert are being given to the Printers' Pension Corporation by Lynford-Joel Promotions, Ltd.

Cinema

FILMS OF THE WEEK

Christmas Eve (London Pavilion, Piccadilly Circus) shows Ann Harding as a very rich eccentric old woman, whose nephew, Reginald Denny, seeks to have her legally declared incapable of administering her fortune. She sends out a call for help to her three adopted sons, and the spotlight is then turned on them. George Brent is a playboy whose attempt to marry socialite widow, Molly Lamont, is thwarted by Joan Blondell; George Raft, who is wanted by the F.B.I., is in love with Virginia Field; and Randolph Scott is a cowboy. The three turn up on Christmas Eve.

Le Voile Bleu ("The Blue Veil") which opens the new season at the Carlton Cinema, Tottenham Court Road, is a simple story of a woman who on losing her child and her husband, becomes a children's nurse. Gaby Morlay gives a delicate and sensitive delineation of the woman whose love for her little charges overcomes every inclination to alter her mode of life. In the same programme is **Can We Be Rich?**

An Ideal Husband (Carlton, Haymarket) is a brilliant adaptation in Technicolor by Sir Alexander Korda of Oscar Wilde's play. Hugh Williams, a hero to his wife, Diana Wynyard, comes into contact with an adventuress, Paulette Goddard, who threatens to expose an unsavoury incident in his past if he does not consent to further a financial swindle. Michael Wilding thwarts Paulette's intentions. The settings in the film are magnificent. There is fine supporting work by Sir Aubrey Smith, Glynis Johns and Constance Collier. F.H.S.

Radio

Leff Pouishnoff will broadcast a short recital of Chopin's pianoforte solos on Sunday in the Home Service. On Tuesday, Pouishnoff broadcasts again in the Home Service "Tuesday Pop" with the B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra. Isador Goodman will be heard in the same programme in a half-hour of piano solos.

Light music this week will include broadcasts by the ensembles of Sandler, Sunday; Oscar Rabin, Monday; Louis Voss and Geraldo, Tuesday; and Stanley Black on Wednesday and Thursday.

A programme of Jewish music will be broadcast from Radio Eireann on Monday at 2.35 p.m.

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WARNING

Owing to the previously arranged presentation of the important British film, "Mine Own Executioner," on November 20, the record-breaking revival of "G.W.T.W." must end at the Empire on Wednesday, next, November 19. It will then be immediately transferred to the Ritz, next door, to continue its 232 weeks' West End run.

In view of the much smaller size of the Ritz, the public are advised to see "G.W.T.W." at the Empire NOW, or to book their seats for the Ritz in advance.

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Investments, Etc.

The interim Budget has dictated the course of stock markets during the past week. Now that the uncertainties regarding the Budget, at least, are out of the way, Stock Exchange members and investors alike may be prepared to adopt a more positive investment policy.

There is a discernible trend towards commodity shares. Some attention is being paid to the Australian Barrier Reef base metal producing concerns. Rubbers are supported on the increased price for the commodity.

Industrial profits and dividends are well maintained, but ever-increasing costs in industry must sooner or later begin to take effect. The progress towards the export targets is the main pointer to the maintenance of industrial profits.

RAPHAEL TUCK RECOVERY

The pace of the recovery in the fortunes of Raphael Tuck & Sons, the fine art publishers, was greatly accelerated during the year to April 30 last. Profits rose from £145,769 to £175,338 and, as already announced, total ordinary distribution is raised from 8 to 15 per cent.

Reserves are strengthened by the allocation of £10,000 to general reserve and £13,000 to special dividend reserve. Expansion in the company's trading is reflected in the balance-sheet. Debtors increased from £51,647 to £91,082 and stock now stands at £134,017, compared with £70,767 a year ago. Cash has increased from £37,236 to £108,291. The £1 ordinary stock units have been changing hands recently around 43/3.

MITCHELLS AND BUTLERS

Mitchells and Butlers Ltd., the well-known Birmingham brewers, are repeating the 2 per cent cash bonus which was added to the ordinary dividend last year. Total dividend is again brought up to 21 per cent, with a final payment of 13 per cent.

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Net profits, which have shown steady expansion over the past seven years, further increased in the year to September 30 last. At £769,296, they compare with £738,847 previously.

POSITION STRENGTHENED

Accounts published by Easterns Ltd., the drapers and furnishers, show that the capital reconstruction and the paying off of priority capital has substantially strengthened the financial position of the group.

The consolidated balance-sheet shows current assets totalling £584,378, against current liabilities of £174,685. Reserves now amount to £712,761, against a total capital of the parent company of £323,000. As already announced, ordinary dividend for the year to August 31 is maintained at 100 per cent.

The Chairman states that the parent company's sales are showing a substantial increase over the same period last year. It is anticipated that recently reopened stores will provide their quota of profit. Subsidiary companies are finding increased demand for their products and are expanding export trade.

CITY EDITOR.

TAILORS' WAGE INCREASE REFUSED

[From our Industrial Correspondent]

The Wholesale Clothing Manufacturers' Association has turned down an application for a weekly wage increase of one pound for women and ten shillings for men made by the National Union of Tailors and Garment Workers.

The Union is to apply again shortly. The reason for the special demand for women is because the aim is to bring women's wages gradually up to those of men.

Company Meeting

RAPHAEL TUCK & SONS

PROGRESS DESPITE CONTROLS

The 46th annual ordinary general meeting of Raphael Tuck & Sons Ltd. was held in London on November 12.

Mr. Desmond Tuck (chairman and joint managing director) in the course of his speech, said: The satisfactory results before you have been achieved in spite of a continuation of many of those obstacles to which I referred last year, and which can be summed up under the unpleasant word "Controls." One important factor which has helped to offset our difficulties is that we are fortunate in possessing a world-renowned name as a background to our activities. It is an open-sesame wherever we operate. It conjures up an immediate thought of Christmas, birthday and other greeting cards, of picture postcards, calendars, and of picture and other illustrated books which are of such delight to the younger generation.

Those of us who are so closely in touch with the Christmas card, and realise how deep-rooted it is in the hearts of every section of the public, can only join issue with unimaginative people who care to regard it as an article of luxury. Nothing could be further from fact. We claim it to be a necessity in so far as any intention still remains of preserving the fabric of human society and of maintaining traditions which are the fundamentals of civilised people. Failure, by restricting necessary supplies of paper, to recognise and accept this proven truth, can only be classed as an instance of ill-advised policy which should be rectified at the earliest moment.

Our recent experience has shown us that although our friends overseas are more than ready and willing to buy from us, in some cases they find themselves confronted with barriers which greatly restrict, and sometimes prevent, importation.

The more distant future will depend upon how long and to what extent industry as a whole is doomed to remain shackled and with the Sword of Damocles hanging over its head. Let wiser counsels prevail than are at the moment apparent. Let the essential partnership of home and export trade be officially recognised, and then British industry, ourselves included, will render a good account of itself.

The report was adopted.

CARDIFF CONTROVERSY

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—I appreciate your surprise, in connection with the Cardiff report in your last issue, that a community should hinder a minister from becoming a Rabbi, the prestige of which title is shared by both minister and congregation.

However, in a focus on Cardiff, the following facts should be considered if the matter is to be viewed in its true perspective.

During the past few months Jewish education in Cardiff has deteriorated to an abnormally low level. This is due to the distressing lack of trained teachers. In one Hebrew school there has been only one teacher, although there are more than 50 children on the register. In the other, of which Mr. Warshaw was appointed Headmaster, one teacher left for the Forces and the other has had prolonged leave of absence because of illness. The inadequacy of staff has had a deplorable effect on the attendance. As many members testified, the Hebrew classes were disappearing. It has been said that Mr. Warshaw reported to the Council that in his class he had but one pupil, and that he could not make any effort to reorganise the classes until he gained his Rabbinical Diploma.

The primary aim of the congregation should be the educational progress of the children, and the majority felt that Mr. Warshaw's prolonged absence from his duties could not be helpful to any efforts in that direction. In fact, what you, Sir, term as the "independent travels" of a cleric could only have been made at the children's expense.

This was the only consideration of those who suggested that Mr. Warshaw, who had just been appointed, should postpone his unexpected application for leave of absence.

"RABBI OR NO RABBI."

EDUCATIONAL SUCCESSES

The following Senior Awards have been announced at King Edward's School, Birmingham: S. Myers, Domus Scholarship in History, Balliol College; J. M. B. Moss, Open Exhibition for Natural Science and Senior King Edward Prize; F. Kirschenbaum, Foundation Scholarship.

Miss Matilda Lesser, of Fortune Green Road, West Hampstead, N.W.6, has obtained the dual honour of first place in the United Kingdom in French (Certificate Stage) and Handwriting (Certificate Stage) at the London Chamber of Commerce Spring (1947) Examinations.

Ruth Goodman (Grange High School, Bradford) has been awarded a State, as well as a City of Bradford, Scholarship, and has been admitted to Queen Mary College, London.

Barbara Hoffbrand, of Bradford, took first place, with Highest Merit, in the Junior Class for Elocution at the Leeds University School of Music and Dramatic Art.

ILFORD BOROUGH CELEBRATION

Synagogue Participates

When Ilford recently celebrated the twenty-first anniversary of its incorporation as a borough by holding a civic week, the Ilford District Synagogue joined in the celebration.

An exhibition, named "Jewish Endeavour," planned by the Rev. M. B. Smerditsky, Dr. I. S. Gold, and Messrs. M. Rosenberg and J. Piatkus, was held at the Synagogue Hall. The exhibition, which included works by Jewish painters, showed the organisation of Anglo-Jewry and the constructive work of Jews for the public good.

A service, at which the Mayor and the local clergy were present, was also held.

NEW EAST END NURSERY

The Mayor of Stepney, Councillor M. Zeital, J.P., performed the official opening of the Mary Hughes Centre and Nursery (formerly the Bearsted Memorial Hospital) in Underwood Road, E.1, on Wednesday of last week.

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FRIENDS OF YIDDISH

The weekly gathering of the Friends of Yiddish, at the Bernhard Baron Settlement, Berner St., Commercial Road, E.1, last Sabbath afternoon, was in honour of Mr. Shlome Cohn, the Yiddish actor, who is shortly leaving this country to take up residence in Canada. Tributes were paid to him by many speakers, including Messrs. A. N. Stenzel (who presided), Moshe Oved, A. M. Kaizer, and A. Meisels. The gathering, numbering 120 people, was entertained by Mr. Cohn's reading of several humorous sketches written by Mr. Kaizer.

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ASEPTIC OINTMENT

Implementing of Partition

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addition that the small powers shall be chosen from among the supporters of partition).

"4. The functions of the Commission will be the implementation of the measures of the General Assembly as follows. (Details of the terms of reference will be inserted later and will take into consideration the Unscop Majority recommendations, the Russian statement of November 3, and other suggestions that may be brought up).

"5. The Commission shall assist the Mandatory in performing functions up to the termination of the Mandate.

"6. The Commission shall be responsible for the administration in the interim period, if any, between the termination of the Mandate and the independence of the two States.

"7. The Commission shall act under the authority and guidance of the Security Council and shall be guided in its activities by the recommendations of the General Assembly and such instructions within the view of the recommendations of the General Assembly as will be issued by the Security Council.

"8. The Commission will render periodical, monthly and, if necessary, more frequently, reports to the Security Council. (Further clarification may be made by the Working Committee on this point)."

Maintaining Law and Order

The document contains the following footnote:

"During the interim period between the adoption of a decision by the General Assembly and the termination of the Mandate, the Mandatory Power will be requested by the General Assembly to maintain law and order and to conduct essential services."

The "Working Party" consists of representatives of the United States, Russia, Canada, and Guatemala.

The proposals were placed before Sub-Committee One, and in the course of the discussions on them—largely explanatory—the chairman of the sub-committee said he was happy to note that their discussions differed from those they were accustomed to in other parts of the building.

Mr. Martin (Britain) said he could not comment on the proposals without communicating with London. He asked whether they meant that all British troops would have to be withdrawn by May 1. If the Mandatory was to be responsible for law and order it could not have all troops withdrawn by that date. What form of assistance would be given by the Commission to the Mandatory since the Working Party mentioned that assistance would be granted, he inquired.

Mr. Johnson replied that the withdrawal of British forces could not take place in one day; evacuation should be gradual and enough forces must be left until May 1.

Dr. Granados said that assistance would come from a militia if the Mandatory required help as it withdrew its troops. The Commission's aid might also be required in the maintenance of public services.

The Canadian delegate said that there might be certain developments inside and outside Palestine on land and water that Britain would not be able to cope with, and then the Commission would recommend action by the Security Council. Such developments were possible, although not probable.

M. Tsarapkin said he visualised a progressive withdrawal of British troops, but that the troops would have to be gone by May 1, and the new Governments placed in charge. If some British troops were still left by that date, the United Kingdom would have to come to an agreement with the Commission.

Rescinding White Paper

Mr. Shertok said that the Jewish Agency would like to know when the Commission would arrive in Palestine and begin its work, and if the terms of reference were to include the Unscop proposals. Unscop, he said, had recommended the rescission of the White Paper and the Jewish Agency would like to know whether the Commission alone would be in a position to rescind that document, or whether it would require British assistance. The same applied to the formation of a militia.

Mr. Johnson said that a new situation had been created since Unscop.

Mr. Pearson said that the Unscop immigration recommendation had been taken with a view to a two-year transition period and, therefore, did not apply to the short period as envisaged by the proposals of the Working Committee.

The *ad hoc* committee held a very short plenary meeting on Tuesday morning. After the partition sub-committee had announced that their report was not ready, the sub-committee on Arab demands refused to submit their report, declaring that they would do so only after the report on partition had been placed before the full committee.

FATE OF JERUSALEM

Suggested Boundary Revisions

There was another interesting development last Saturday, when Uruguay proposed that Jerusalem be divided into three parts, one Jewish, one Arab, and one placed under a "special regime," to include the Old City and the Holy places. This proposal, which is contrary to the Unscop majority recommendation putting the whole of Jerusalem under international control, received immediate Soviet support, and was also backed by Poland, Czechoslovakia, and Venezuela, while Mr. Johnson, of the U.S.A., reserved his attitude.

During the discussions in Sub-Committee One, last Saturday, on the proposed boundaries, M. Pruszynski, the Polish chairman of the sub-committee, protested against a memorandum submitted by the British representative, Mr. Martin, which gave 127,000 as the figure of the Beduin population in the Negev. The British census of 1946, he said, revealed that there were 67,000 Beduins in the Negev, and Unscop gave the figure as 90,000.

Holy Places

Dr. Fabregat (Uruguay) proposed that all Holy places should be under a special regime, and that the Arab districts of Jerusalem outside the wall be annexed to the Arab State, and the Jewish districts to the Jewish State.

Mr. Martin said that Britain could not put forward any views, but only submit information. The Old City had approximately 2,400 Jews and 33,000 non-Jews. The adjacent Arab area outside the walls had 9,000 Jews and 30,000 non-Jews, and could not be separated from the Old City because it contained some Christian Holy places and a railroad by which tourists to the Old City arrived. One could not separate Jewish from non-Jewish districts in that area.

The Jewish section had 88,000 Jews and 1,500 non-Jews. Mr. Martin added that the Unscop report gave Jerusalem residents the right to opt for citizenship of either State. Hence, such residents would not owe first allegiance to the Jerusalem administration. [The term non-Jews does not here mean only Arabs.]

Mr. Moshe Shertok said that agreement to forgo any part of Jerusalem from the Jewish State would make it difficult for a Jewish authority to hold the respect of large sections of Jewry. The Christians had been under Ottoman rule for centuries. Why, then, should they now be worried if the Holy places were to be under a special regime? If, for reasons of sanctity, all Jerusalem were to be placed under a special regime, its development would be checked. Opting for citizenship was not sufficient. Jewish industries might move out of Jerusalem and might thus endanger the city's economy if the city were placed under an international regime. Mr. Shertok stressed that the Jews would not forgo any part of Jerusalem.

The Chairman said that the status of the Vatican, in Rome, represented a good precedent. Dr. Fabregat's proposal would give both the Jewish and the Arab States capitals in Jerusalem.

Mr. Shertok said that if Bethlehem was one of the reasons for a special regime in Jerusalem, it should be pointed out that Nazareth, a Holy city with an overwhelming Christian majority, would be in the Arab State. The same safeguards taken for Nazareth could also be taken for Bethlehem, without requiring a trusteeship for Jerusalem.

Mr. Tsarapkin proposed that Dr. Fabregat and M. Lisicky draw up a new draft for Jerusalem. This was adopted.

Boundary Recommendations

Reported details of the recommendations to be made by the partition subcommittee do not so far affect Jerusalem, the Negev, or Western Galilee, but provide for frontier modifications involving the transfer of about 600,000 dunams from the proposed Arab State to the Jewish State, and of nearly 150,000 dunams from the Jewish State to the Arab State. Half of the proposed increased Jewish area is wasteland.

The recommendations include the extension of the northern area of the Jewish State by 47,000 dunams in the Huleh section, where only 400 Arabs reside. This would enable the Jewish State to establish a water reservoir for better irrigation; the addition of 35,000 dunams on the Gilboa mountain range and 13,000 on the slopes descending to the River Jordan. This territory is uncultivated, but commands the Jezreel Valley, and its inclusion in the Jewish State is recommended for defence reasons; the enlargement of the Jewish area in the Haifa Bay by 43,000 dunams, and the transfer to the Jews of 220,000 dunams of uninhabited land along the Dead Sea. This area is important for the work of the Palestine Potash Company.

It was also proposed that Jewish and Arab land should be exchanged in areas north and south of the Negev border. The Jewish State would receive 110,000 dunams from the Arab State, but sur-

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render 135,000 to the Arabs. On the question of Jaffa, it was recommended that the city should be an Arab enclave.

The Social, Humanitarian, and Cultural Committee has before it a resolution proposed by the United Kingdom transferred from the *ad hoc* committee, urging each U.N. Member to accept a fair share of displaced persons and refugees, and through the I.R.O. to develop overall plans.—(Palcor and J.T.A.)

NEWS FROM ABROAD

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RUMANIAN PARLIAMENT REASSEMBLES

Jewish Deputy's Plea

Replying on behalf of the Jewish Parliamentary Club to the Address from the Throne on the occasion of the opening of the second session of the Rumanian Parliament, the Jewish Deputy, Dr. Eduard Manolescu, last week made a comprehensive statement on the problems of Rumanian Jewry.

During the last session, he said, Parliament had solved the question of Rumanian citizenship in a satisfactory manner, and he hoped that during the present session an equally satisfactory solution would be found to the still outstanding problems of pension rights for widows and orphans of victims of deportation, massacre, and slave labour, as well as for those disabled as a result of such crimes.

He demanded that the trial of those guilty of the Jassy massacre of Jews in 1941 be held without any further delay.—(J.T.A.)

"WALKING SKELETONS" OF I. G. FARBEN

Of all the groups of forced labourers in the I. G. Farben factory at Heydebeck, "the ones that were in the worst condition and who got the worst treatment were the Russians and the civilian Jews." This statement is made in an affidavit by Mr. William Allen, of Manchester, a British prisoner of war, who worked in the factory for two years, and read last week at Nuremberg during the trial of the I. G. Farben heads.

Russians and Jews, he goes on, "were actually walking wrecks. They were not much better than the skeleton-like pictures that were taken in the horror camps. Their faces were sunken, and their legs were no larger than their arms should be."—(B.U.P.)

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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16

A "Quintet Club" Dance at the "Windermere," London's most luxurious "niterie," 189, Regent St. (opp. Galeries Lafayette). Members and Guests 6/6. 7.30 p.m. M.C.: Eddie Chodosh.

C.J.Y.C. (Senior Section) presents a Grand Dance, 7.30 p.m., at 47a, Lea Bridge Rd., Clapton, E.5. Admission 2/6.

"Ivri" Maccabi Association, 95, Earlham Grove, E.7, presents Grand Dance, 7.30 till 11 p.m. Members 2/6; Visitors 3/6. Popular Band.

New Balalaika Club, Sutherland Hotel, London St., W.2. Next to Padd. Stn. Und. Sunday Tea Dancing 3-6. Evening 7.30-11. Continental Buffet. Dancing to first-class Band.

New Century Club, 160a, Westbourne Grove, Bayswater, W.11. Royal Wedding Gala Ball. Denny Boyce and Band, featuring vocalist, Tommy Lovegrove. 7-11 p.m. Ms. 4/-; Gs. 5/-.

Regency Club presents an exclusive dance at 243, Regent St. (opp. Dickins & Jones). Adm. 3/6. M.C.: Jack Epstein. 7.30-11 p.m.

S. & K. Promotions present a Grand Dance at the Country Club, 15, Baker St., W.1 (WEL. 7007), with the Bert Childs (Brent) Trio. Buffet. Central Heating. 4/6 & 5/6. 7-11 p.m.

South-West Essex J.Y.C. presents "Ladies' Nite Dance," at Synagogue Hall, 140, Boundary Rd., Walthamstow. Jeff Moy and his Regency Swingtette. Tickets 2/6. 7.30-11 p.m.

The Pegasus Club invites you to a Grand Dance at Springfield Hall (2 mins. Arnos Grove Tube), Springfield Rd. 3/6. From 7.30-11 p.m. Visitors welcome.

U.Y.I.S. Dances, Adolph Tuck Hall, Woburn House, W.C.1. Eric Lambert and his Orchestra. 7 p.m.

5707 Club presents a Grand Dance at the Finchley Synagogue Hall, Kinloss Gardens, N.3. Dancing from 7.30-11 p.m.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17

Harry Moreton presents a Grand November Ball at Victory House, Leicester Sq. Dancing 7.15-11 p.m. to Benny Green and his Band. Buffet. Admission 3/-.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18

North Finchley & Woodside Park Hebrew Congregation. A Dance, Brent Bridge Hotel, Hendon, N.W.4. Tickets 10/6. 7.30 p.m. In aid of the Central British Fund.

Town Hall, Stoke Newington. Celebrated London Ciro's Orchestra (10 piece). Grand Dance. Tickets 3/- at door, or bookable HAMpstead 4493. 7.30 to 11.30 p.m.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19

Butlin Grand Dance, Grosvenor Rooms, Willesden Green, N.W.2. Stanley Barnett and his Orchestra. 7.30-11 p.m. Tickets 3/- from Butlin's Holiday Camp, Clacton, and your friends, the "Redcoats."

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20

"Ivri" Maccabi Association (Forest Gate), invites you to celebrate the marriage of H.R.H. Princess Elizabeth to Lt. Philip Mountbatten, at the Adolph Tuck Hall, Woburn House, W.C.1. 7.30 till 11.30 p.m. Tickets, 10/-. Dancing to Nat Allen and his Orchestra.

The New Mozart Social Club, 66, Albion Rd., N. Enjoy yourself last week? Come again! Joe Toff & Orch. Ms. 2/6; Gs. 3/6. 7.30-11.

The Gladstone Park and Neasden Ladies' Guild invites you to a Celebration Dance at the Grosvenor Rooms, Walm Lane, Willesden, N.W.2 (opposite Willesden Green Station), from 7.30 till 11.30 p.m. Dancing to Harry Vento, Willie Stephany and their Orchestra. Admission, 5/-.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22

Hampstead & St. John's Wood Orphanage Aid Society. Dance at the Oak Restaurant (Slaters & Bodega), Kensington High St., in aid of Jewish Orphanage. West Norwood. 7-11 p.m. Tickets 12/6.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23

Come and dance to the music of the Golden Swingsters at the Bronze Hall, the Athenæum, Muswell Hill, N.10. Novelty and Spot Prizes. Admission 2/-. From 7.-11 p.m. This is the first of a series of dances which the Muswell Hill Jewish Youth Club are running on the fourth Sunday of each month, so why not come along with your friends and also meet new friends?

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27

Dollis Hill & District Women's Zionist Society, W.I.Z.O. Silver Ball, Porchester Hall, Porchester Road, W.2. 7 to 11 p.m. Frank Weir and his Broadcasting Orchestra. Evening Dress Optional. Licensed Bar. Cabaret. Running Buffet. Tombola. Tickets 25/- inclusive, from Mrs. M. Soloff, Hon. Sec., 107, Geary Rd., N.W.10. (GLAdstone 3006.)

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31

Keep this date free for a New Year's Eve Ball, to be held at the Rembrandt Rooms, Thurloe Place, S.W.7 (organised by the Hendon J.N.F. Commission). Dancing to Nat Temple and his Band with Edna Kaye. Buffet. Cabaret. Novelties. Tickets 3 gns. From 8 p.m. till 2 a.m. Tables can be reserved. Transport arrangements have been made. Tickets obtainable from Mrs. A. Michaels, 36, Manor Hall Ave., N.W.4 (HEN. 3659); Miss L. Schnaier, 65, Southampton Row, W.1 (MUS. 6111.)

TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, 1948

Preliminary Announcement. Keep this Date Free! Other Committees please note. Second Blue and White Ball. In aid of the J.N.F. Charitable Trust. Royal Albert Hall. 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. Further details will be announced in due course. Applications to: The Secretary, J.N.F. Functions Dept., 65, Southampton Row, W.C.1. (MUS. 6111.)

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